The Weather
Fair tonight. Thursday probably light snow. Continued cold for several days.

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## KULL DENIES STACKING OF LOYALTY MEET

### Resents Intimations That Stalwarts Are to Control Gathering

### PHILIPP'S MEN TO FIGHT

### Would Keep Convention From Going on Record on Appointment

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 9.—Intimations that Stalward Republicans of the state are planning on packing the Loyalty meeting to be held in Madison the latter part of January drew a strong denial from Geo. Kull, secretary of the Wisconsin Loyalty Legion. The rumor had been current in political circles for several days that an effort was to be made in order to prevent the meeting from endorsing a senatorial candidate, and that the convention from going on record in opposition to Governor Philipp's plan to secure power from the legislature to appoint a successor to the late Senator Husting.

Mr. Kull said that Milwaukee county would be limited to 400 of the 2,000 delegates that are expected to attend. He claimed that one hundred delegates are to come from the Republican, Democratic and Progressive parties and the Loyalty Legion is to be represented by a like number.

**Fight Likely**

Indications are that a fight will develop in the convention over the primary purpose for which it has been called together. That friends of Governor Philipp will be present in considerable numbers to oppose any declaration on the question appears certain. George Kull, secretary of the Loyalty Legion made it plain today that he still the plan of those in charge of the organization of the convention to press a resolution favoring the selection of a senator by vote of the people, instead of appointment by the governor.

"My favor," he said "a vote on this question by the people of the state rather than appointment by the governor. I told the governor so, and expect the convention to enforce this attitude."

**West In Protest**

Glen P. West, chairman of the Republican State Central committee, took exception to the provision of representation for the progressives in the Milwaukee delegation on the same basis as the two old parties. He indicated that if the Loyalty Legion developed into a political party, the Republican party organization would oppose it as such.

## HOSPITAL SHIP IS SUNK IN CHANNEL

### The Rewa Destroyed While on Way From Gibraltar; Three Are Killed

(By the Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan. 9.—The hospital ship Rewa was torpedoed and sunk in the English channel on Jan. 4, while on her way from Gibraltar. All the wounded were saved. There were three casualties among the crew.

After making several charges of the sinking of hospital ships, which were denied specifically by the entente governments concerned, the Germans last year suspended the immunity of these vessels in the English channel and certain other waters. Last September King Alfonso of Spain intervened and succeeded in obtaining an agreement from the belligerents for the free movements of hospital ships within specified areas.

**BADGER IS DEAD**

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Captain Bernard F. Carr, who was born in Port Washington, Wis., in 1859, and who joined the Chicago police force in 1882, died here today.

## Daily Weather Story

Highest temperature in the past 24 hours was 12 at 3 p. m. and the lowest was 4 below zero at 4 this morning. Precipitation was 0. The sun will set at 5:42 p. m.

The barometer continues low in New England. Brisk west winds and snow prevail attend this disturbance over the lake region and New England. The area of low barometer in the gulf states has diminished in strength. It has caused light rain and milder weather in the eastern gulf states and Tennessee. The area of high barometer and cold weather that has prevailed in Manitoba for several days has been reinforced by another strong area of high barometer from the Canadian northwest. The temperature has fallen 20 or more degrees in the Missouri valley and on the northern plains on account of the advance of the first disturbance and 20 to 35 degrees in Montana, Alberta and Saskatchewan due to the new disturbance. Snow flurries accompany these low waves. Low barometer prevails in the southwest and the temperature is rising in the plateau regions.

## YOU MUST PAY TAX WHETHER YOU RECEIVE A NOTICE OR NOT

If you are entertaining the idea that you will not have to pay taxes unless Uncle Sam sends you a notice to that effect, disabuse yourself of the idea—it may get you into trouble.

No notices are required of any federal tax, says Internal Revenue Collector Burt Williams, and failure to appear and pay will result in the collection of the penalties provided by law.

This applies, not only to income but all forms of federal tax.

The customs collector may not know you have a motorboat but it is up to you pay your taxes on it just the same.

## BECKER IS OUT FOR GOVERNOR

### Monroe Judge Announces Candidacy for Executive Position

### LIFE LONG DEMOCRAT

### Platform is Ultra-Pacifist in Form—Wants the Referendum and Recall

MONROE, Wis., Jan. 9.—Judge J. M. Becker of this city today announces the tentative platform on which he will make his campaign for the nomination of governor on the republican ticket next September, although he has been a life-long democrat.

The principal planks on state issues favor the election of the state university regents, instead of appointment now by the governor, the election of congressmen and state and county officers for four years instead of two and the institution of the initiative, referendum and recall with respect to all offices except the judiciary.

"On national questions, I approve of the courageous and pro-American stand of our senator, Robert M. La-Follette," says the platform. "I would not even eliminate from his record a punctuation mark. The object and purpose in his fight in congress is to relieve the rank and file of the American people of the excessive burdens of this war, and to transpose those burdens to the shoulders of the war profiteers. His fight in the United States senate to tax eighty percent of the excess was profits of the kaisers of big business, seems to be LaFollette's greatest crime in the eyes of the war beneficiaries.

"Our government has conscripted our young men for duty and is paying them about one-half of their earning power. Wealth should also be conscripted with which to maintain them. It is claimed that but two per cent of the people own more than one-half of the wealth of this country.

"I therefore favor legislation increasing the pay of our soldiers and sailors and to conscript all net incomes of wealth of individuals in excess of $5,000 to be used in financing this war."

## GERMAN LINE PENETRATED BY THE FRENCH

### Surprise Attack East of St. Mihiel Successful Says Report

### KAISER'S MEN REPULSED

### Tri-Colored Soldiers Hold Lines in Champagne District

PARIS, Tuesday, Jan. 8.—In a surprise attack east of St. Mihiel today French troops penetrated German defenses on a front of nearly a mile. After demolishing the positions and destroying shelters they returned to their own lines with 150 prisoners and a number of machine guns, the official statement issued tonight by the war office says.

**Germans Repulsed**

The French repulsed an enemy attempt in Champagne. In the Verdun sector and in upper Alsace the artillery battle continues. The statement reads:

"In Champagne we repulsed an enemy attempt against our small posts east of Mont Teton. The artillery fire was rather lively in the Avecourt and Bezonvaux sectors.

**Carry Out Surprise**

"In the Woevre in the region north of Seicheprey we carried out an extensive surprise attack which succeeded completely. Our detachments penetrated the enemy positions on a front of about 1,500 meters. The German defenses were demolished and the shooters destroyed. In accordance with orders our troops afterward returned to their own lines, bringing 150 prisoners and a number of machine guns and hand grenades.

"In upper Alsace the artillery of both sides was active north of the Rhone-Rhine canal."

## SESSION OF 10 DAYS WILL DO ALL THE WORK

### Senator Timothy Burke of Green Bay Talks on Legislature

### PUSH DRAINAGE LAW

### Says Fusion of Parties Not Necessary for Entire State Ticket

"I do not think the special session of the Wisconsin legislature which has been called for Feb 19, will last over a week. Certainly not over ten days."

This is the statement of Senator Timothy Burke of Green Bay, president pro-tempore of the senate, who spent the morning at the executive office. In point of length of service in the Wisconsin legislature, Senator Burke is dean.

"Some financial legislation will have to be passed that will permit a borrowing from the trust funds," continued Senator Burke. "The drainage laws will be fixed up, but I am inclined to think that the work of the session will be limited to a great extent by the call of Gov. Philipp. Only necessary things will be included."

Senator Burke was asked regarding the introduction of a bill that would permit the fusing of parties. He was the first man to suggest the plan in a letter to the governor.

"Conditions in the state of Wisconsin have improved wonderfully in the past three months," said Senator Burke. "I think there should be some slight changes in the election laws that will permit a fusion, wherever necessary. I doubt very much as to whether this should be extended to state officers. There are some assembly districts in the state, where a fusion might be desirable, but for the entire state ticket, I do not believe it is necessary."

## COMPEL COUNCIL ON WARD MATTER

### Believed That City Body Must Create District if Voters Petition

Herman J. Loftsgordon, secretary of the East Side Citizens' association has found a way to create a new ward out of the old sixth ward.

The council recently denied the petition of east side residents that the ward be divided at the Yahara river and that portion east of the river be named the Eleventh ward.

Mr. Loftsgordon contends that any precinct with a population of 1,000 or more can petition the council for the creation of a ward and if the necessary number of signers are secured the council must grant the request.

In such precincts, he says, a majority of the electors must sign and at least forty per cent of them must be freeholders.

The council by two-thirds vote may establish a ward line but in the event they refuse to do so they are compelled to grant the division requested in the petitions signed by the required number of electors, providing forty per cent of the signers are freeholders.

## MORE SNOW AND DROP IN TEMPERATURE

### Chicago Forecast Predicts Mercury Will Drop to 10 Below in 36 Hours

### SHIPPERS ARE WARNED

### City Had Just Begun to Extricate Itself From Blizzard of Monday

(By the Associated Press.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—A forecast of general snows and a drop to abnormally low temperatures in the next thirty-six hours was received with apprehension here today just as the city was beginning to approach self-rescue from the blizzard of Sunday. The forecast said:

"The southwestern storm will move eastward attended by general snows over the greater portion of this forecast district within the next thirty-six hours and will be followed by abnormally low temperature in all sections for several days."

Shippers were warned to expect temperatures of zero and 10 below in the north and west within the next 24 to 36 hours.

While much of the snow has been removed from the downtown district, the drifts on streets a half mile out are almost as bad as ever. Street traffic is said today to be only 20 percent of normal. Thousands of homes are already feeling the fuel shortage where coal wagons have been unable to make their way.

## From "Community Business" The Weekly Bulletin of The Madison Association of Commerce

**The aim of the commercial organization has risen above the mere thought of benefiting a few members of the community to that of real civic and community interest, the development of the citizens and the community as a whole. The work of the organization must begin with the individual. The motto should be "Help Others."**

**If we could get the thought firmly fixed in our minds—Get Acquainted with Your Neighbor, you Might Like Him—the result of personal service in commercial organization work would be much more easily secured.**

**Young men should be given every inducement to become members of the Association, since the responsibilities of promoting and bettering the life of the community will soon fall upon them. Subscribers of plural memberships, who have three or four left after designating the men in their own employ, whom they wish to represent them, might give these to deserving young men who are not financially able to take memberships of their own, but who would make good, active members. Thus the personal service of worthy young men would be secured and at the same time they would be developed for the responsibility, which will in the future, be theirs.**

## MADISON MAY LOSE TRAINS BY U. S. ORDER

### Recommendations Already Made to Traffic Committee

### WILL END DUPLICATION

### Abolishment of Locals and Curtailment of Limiteds Proposed

Orders curtailing the train service out of Madison are expected any day by local agents of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and Chicago and Northwestern railroads.

Neither F. J. Zoelle, agent for the Northwestern, nor John Brien, agent for the Milwaukee, have received orders as yet, but it is known here that recommendations for changes in the service have been put before the federal traffic board operating under Director McAdoo.

While details are lacking, it is understood that the suggested program includes a general curtailment of limited trains and the taking off, entirely, of some of the local carriers. Limiteds, it is understood, may be required to make the local stops heretofore handled by the locals.

The program is also said to include the taking off of some trains paralleling those of competing lines.

## TO INSIST COAL BELONGS TO STATE

### Gov. Philipp Directs W. N. Fitzgerald to Carry This Word to Garfield

Wisconsin's coal problems have been revived at Washington. Gov. Philipp said today that Fuel Administrator W. N. Fitzgerald was in Washington in conference with Commissioner Garfield, and that he had advised Mr. Fitzgerald that Wisconsin intended to protect its coal pile and the state would be the judge of how much of the coal could be spared for outside.

It is understood that the federal administration is insisting on the appointment of W. C. Groverman of St. Paul as administrator for four states.

## *SPAIN HAS ITS "MR. HOOVER," TOO*

Alas Pumarino.

Neutral Spain has its war troubles just the same as if it was in the conflict. Food is a problem there as elsewhere in the world and a food dictator—Alas Pumarino—has just been appointed.

## PORTUGUESE IN OUTBREAK SAYS MADRID

### Report Naval Mutiny and Bombardment of Forts at Lisbon

### REBEL CREWS SURRENDER

### Paes Government Succeeds in Ending Revolution; Many Killed

(By the Associated Press.)

MADRID, Jan. 9.—Another outbreak has occurred in Portugal, according to news reaching here from beyond the frontier. Crews of Portuguese warships mutinied and began bombarding the Lisbon forts, it is stated. The army, it appears, remained faithful to the government of Dr. Sidonio Pess and transquility has been restored.

The rebellious crews were those on the battleship Vasco de Gama, the torpedo-boat destroyer Douro and other war vessels. Their surrender is understood to have marked the conclusion of the disturbances.

A revolution occurred in Portugal early in December, the government capitulating to the rebels after three days' fighting, during which 71 persons were reported killed and between 800 and 400 wounded. A new government was formed under Dr. Pass, the revolutionary leader, and President Machado of the republic, was banished.

## NO STEP TAKEN IN NELSON CASE

### District Attorney Wolfe Has Received No Word From Washington

United States District Attorney A. C. Wolfe has received no word from Washington indicating what attitude the attorney general's department has taken on the draft conspiracy cases against Congressman John Nelson and his son, Byron. In the event the department wishes to push the cases they will be argued before the supreme court at Washington.

## TONNAGE GREAT AT LAKE PORTS

MARINETTE, Wis., Jan. 9.—A total of 618 vessels—521 steamers and ninety-seven schooners—with an aggregate tonnage of 416,300 visited the twin ports of Marinette and Menominee, Mich., during 1917, it is shown by the annual report of Deputy Collector of Customs, Edward D. Norton.

The steamers had a total tonnage of 400,831 and the tonnage of the schooners was 15,469.

The outgoing shipments from the twin ports during 1917 include 80,990 tons of iron ore via the Ann Arbor lines. The first large shipments of ore via these ports.

**13 MORE STUDENTS ARE SENT TO TRAINING CAMP**

Thirteen more students and graduates have been sent to the third officers' training camp as a part of the University of Wisconsin quota, as a result of a new order increasing the university's quota from 34 to 47. The thirteen men are: A. S. Inglehearts, Evansville, Ind.; M. B. Wise, Rothschild; P. W. Dunnewald, Madison; G. S. Mears, Fond du Lac; A. N. Johnson, Morrisonville; F. S. Wilcox, Elgin, Ill.; J. J. Quail, Hayward; G. M. Schwartz, Byron; H. H. Ross, Milwaukee; H. W. Weale, Medford; J. W. Harris, Madison; A. W. Kimball, Briggsville, and C. F. Whiffen, Madison.

## OSHKOSH VOTES OWN ICE AND FUEL PLANTS

### Municipal Ownership Favored at Special Election Yesterday

### LABOR PUT IT THROUGH

### Trades Council Was Active in Program; Appropriate $50,000

OSHKOSH, Wis., Jan. 9.—The city of Oshkosh will deal in fuel and ice for the benefit of the consuming public. At a special election held yesterday the voters decided in favor of municipal fuel and ice plants.

Municipal ownership of the fuel business carried by a vote of 1,846 for and 622 against, a majority for 1,224, and municipal ownership of the ice business carried by 1,577 for and 726 against, a majority of 851 for the proposition.

The city is authorized to appropriate $25,000 for each proposition.

The Trades and Labor Council brought about the election with a petition signed by over 2,000 voters.

## LOCAL BOY DEAD AT GREAT LAKES

### Harold Davy Succumbs to Spinal Fever at Training Station

### STUDENT IN HIGH SCHOOL

### Sacrificed Diploma to Enter Service of the Government

Michael Davy, 811 Clymer place today received word that his son, Harold, died at the Great Lakes Naval Training station, near Chicago, early today. Death, said the message, was due to spinal fever.

The young man, who was nineteen years of age, left high school but a few months before he would have won his diploma to enter the service of Uncle Sam.

He is survived by his father, a brother, Frank, and a sister, Adeline. Mrs. Mary Gleason, Madison, is his aunt.

The funeral, which is to be held here, will be announced later.

## PROSECUTOR ASKS OLSON'S LIBERTY

### Nelson Says Man Convicted of Murder Has Served Long Enough

Attorney Robert A. Nelson today appeared before Gov. E. L. Philipp and urged that the executive parole Edward Olson, sentenced to life imprisonment after being found guilty in the Dane county circuit court in 1912 of first degree murder.

Nelson, who prosecuted Olson, said that he was not the ring leader in the murder, for which men named Lynch and Cross are now serving terms, and recommended leniency.

The application for Olson's pardon was presented by H. S. Siggelko.

## INSURANCE CO. ELECT OFFICIALS

### Adam Blind is Chosen President of the Capital City Concern

Adam Blind was last night re-elected president of the Capital City Mutual Insurance company, a local concern.

Other officers chosen are:

Vice president—W. D. Curtis.

Secretary—R. L. Adams.

Treasurer—S. H. Stuart.

Directors—O. K. Shubert, W. D. Curtis, Clayton Haswell, C. W. Graves, R. L. Adams and Ralph W. Jackman.

The reports of the company, organized in 1903, show that the company has $1,500,000 insurance written.

## 20 MADISONIANS ON SERVICE LIST

### Merit Board Announces List of Those Who Pass Nov. 17 Examination

Miss K. J. Rasmussen of this city heads the typists list at the civil service commission according to an announcement today. The nineteen other Madisonians on the list are: Beatrice V. Burke, Mary E. Sommers, Sohnia Sinaiko, Agnes Sweeney, Isabelle McCallen, Stella Carlin, Mary Lu Quinlan, Lillian H. Matson, Nell Purcell, Regina D. Schrodt, Lela Sinaiko, Ruth S. Johnson, Pearl Johannes, Anna Sinaiko, Mahala M. Sykes, Olga A. Sogerborg, Adelaide Schwonker, Bertha L. Martin and Helen J. Scheidhauer.

## FOREIGN VIEWS DIVERGENT ON PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE; PRAISED BY LONDON PAPERS

### English Socialist Leader Thinks President Has Mistaken Idea

### NO GERMAN DEMOCRACY

### Vorwaerts Says Lloyd-George Has Assumed a Thin Disguise

(By the Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan. 9.—President Wilson's speech takes the leading place in both the news and editorial columns of the London press. One newspaper describes it as "the magna charta of future peace."

Coming so closely on the heels of Premier Lloyd-George's address at the labor conference, the words of the heads of American and British governments are compared closely. While some differences are found in the manner of discussing the various questions, this evening's newspapers finds no disagreement in essential policy. It is noted that the president deals more sympathetically with the Bolsheviki than did the premier, but it is pointed out that America has not suffered from the Russian collapse as the western allies have. However, the Westminster Gazette welcomes Mr. Wilson's "careful, sympathetic language" and says it hopes that "all misunderstandings which may have arisen from other statements, will be removed by the unequivocal language in which the president adopts the Russian demands as his own."

The speech appears in the newspapers under big headlines such as "America's Terms to Germany," "World Peace Program," and "Great Program of International Reforms." The Evening News, in its introduction, describes the speech as one of world-wide importance, in which the president laid down America's peace terms in clear, direct and simple language. It continues:

"With but trifling exceptions, Mr. Wilson's views coincide with and endorse those expressed by Mr. Lloyd-George. Because of this fact, Mr. Wilson's speech will be read with double satisfaction in this country."

Lord Northcliffe's Evening News, while of the opinion that President Wilson's declaration regarding the removal of economic barriers and the freedom of the seas need further elucidation, endorses enthusiastically his attitude toward Russia. Summing up, the newspaper says:

"President Wilson is for a free world on lines endorsed by all the entente allies, but it means the surrender by Germany of all her ambitions and she will need be in a very chastened mood before she accepts."

The Pall Mall Gazette says President Wilson's message constitutes an effective model of frank and open diplomacy, to which he accords first place in his catalog of things requisite for the world's peace. It remarks that the strongest German microscopes will be taxed to find evidence of discord between his words and those of Premier Lloyd-George.

The Westminster Gazette is the only poper to comment on President Wilson's inclusion in his program of absolute freedom of navigation upon the seas, outside of territorial waters. The newspaper says that in such a world as that to which the president looks forward, with an association of nations affording a guarantee of the political independence of all states, with open covenants, disarmament by mutual consent and freedom, as far as possible, from economic barriers, this aspiration could have no terrors for the British. But in the fighting world of today it would mean disarming the sea power without any corresponding diminition of military power on land which, it argues, would work to the advantages of militarist land powers and to the great disadvantage of all others, American included.

(By the Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan. 9.—While considering President Wilson's speech to congress a very fine pronouncement, Henry N. Hyndman, leader of British socialists, thinks it took a mistaken view of Germany's present position.

"There is no democracy in Germany at present," said Mr. Hyndman. "Equality instead of mastery is just what the German nation will not accept. I think also the president misunderstands the position of Russia. The majority of the Russian people and a complete majority of the constituent assembly are not represented by the Bolsheviki at Brest-Litovsk or by the Leninite section in Russia. The Russian social revolutionary majority is neither disposed to surrender to Germany nor to have German or Bolsheviki tyranny at home."

**ARREST MIDDLETON MAN**

Alleged to have "beaten up" his mother-in-law, Mrs. Kate Nye, Gustav Bartell, saloonman at Ashton, just north of Middleton, was arrested today by representatives of the sheriff's office.

The complaint was signed by District Attorney Harry Sauthoff.

The disposition of congress appears to be to rush the legislation asked by the president for railroad control.

### Message Takes Leading Place in the English Newspapers Today

### DISCUSS RUSS LANGUAGE

### Praise Also Heard in the Nation's Capitol for Views of the President

**RUSS THANKFUL**

**WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The Russian embassy today issued a statement of appreciation of President Wilson's references to the Russian people in his address to congress.**

(By the Associated Press.)

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Leon Trotzky, the Bolskeviki foreign minister, is convinced that the entente governments wish Germany to make an advantageous separate peace with Russia so that Germany will agree the more willingly to surrender what the allies want in the west, according to the Petrograd correspondent of the Daily News.

Premier Lloyd-George, the correspondent assured Trotzky, had never made such a statement but the Bolsheviki leader was hard to convince, and said: "That is the allied policy." He added that the attitude of the Bolsheviki would not be influenced by the attitude of the allied governments, but by that of the allied peoples.

Trotzky was asked what hope he himself had of a general acceptable peace. He replied that it was difficult to say because the Germans had not yet been offered a chance to make such a peace, but he was sure the Germans must need it.

**Quote German Deserters**

The Russian foreign minister quoted German deserters as saying that the Germans were unable to remove troops from the eastern front in large units. They were removing them one at a time and the men, knowing where they were being sent, jumped from trains in attempts to escape.

Asked what terms he actually hoped to get, Trotzky refused to reply, and said laughingly:

"If we were really logical, we would declare war on England now for the sake of India, Egypt and Ireland."

The Daily News correspondent protested that Great Britain made nothing out of India, to which Trotzky replied:

"Then give up being so altruistic. You English are the most chauvinistic nation on the earth without knowing it."

**Capitol In Approval**

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Approval of President Wilson's address to congress setting forth America's program for war and peace, was heard on every side in Washington today and the opinion seemed universal that the president had chosen the psychological moment to counteract any evil effects of Germanys' latest peace propaganda.

It was authoritatively stated that the president decided to address congress at this time in an effort to prevent resumption of negotiations between the Russians and Germans at Brest-Litovsk.

Another reason for the president's message was found in the necessity of making some reply to the request of the Bolsheviki that the United States and the entire world join in the peace negotiations. Germany made it a condition of the negotiations that Russia should bring in the allies. Since the United States and the allies have not recognized the Bolsheviki government it was deemed necessary that the United States set forth its aim in a public announcement which might be given circulation in Russia, following the example of Premier Lloyd-George. The president's address has been cabled and sent by wireless to the principal world capitals for telegraphic distribution.

## TOOK 32 HOURS TO COME DISTANCE OF ONLY SIXTY MILES

Over thirty hours to come about sixty miles is the non-speed record of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Birdsall and two children, Brooks and Billy, 2131 Keyes avenue, in trying to get home from a Christmas vacation spent in Green Bay. They left Green Bay Sunday morning but were held up by the storm all the way through until by the time they arrived in Madison, the Randall school, of which Mr. Birdsall is principal, had long dismissed its first day session.

## TOWN TALK

**DISCUSS P. O. SOON**

The committee consisting of Stanley Hanks, Burt Williams and Don C. Mowry, appointed by President Schoelkopf of the Association of Commerce to investigate the McAdoo order halting the erection of a new postoffice here, will be called together soon. The committee will thoroughly canvass the situation with a view to inducing the secretary of the treasury to so modify his order as to permit of the erection of the building.

**BOLENS IN CITY**

H. W. Bolens of Port Washington and Sol Perrin of Superior are in the city today on official business. Mr. Perrin will appear before the supreme court. Mr. Bolens is here on council of defense matters.

**ROSE TO CHICAGO**

J. F. Rose, of the Walk-Over Boot Shop, left today for Chicago to attend a meeting tomorrow and Friday of the Walk-Over Retail Dealers' Association. About 250 dealers from all parts of the country will be there.

**SENATOR HUBER HERE**

State Senator Henry Huber, Dane, is transacting legal business in Madison today.

**NO MARRIAGE LICENSES**

With nine days of the new year gone there has been but one application for a marriage license under the new law. Officials are of the opinion that the required posting of applications five days before the granting of the license deters prospective weddings.

**COURT NEARLY READY**

The end of this week will see the new quarters of the Superior court, in the court house, ready for occupancy. Carpenters and painters are rushing the work, now that the strike has been settled.

**WORK NEARLY ENDED**

Work of filling out the questionnaires for men of draft age has been almost cleaned up in this county. While attorneys are still at work in the court house the number of men seeking assistance is few compared with the numbers that thronged the court rooms last week.

**FIRST TO REPORT**

James Welsh, treasurer of Oregon village, enjoys the distinction of being the first of the 58 local treasurers in Dane county to remit his state tax to County Treasurer Rinder.

**TO EXCUSE STUDENTS**

"All students arriving late to the university because of irregular train service will be granted excuses," stated Dean E. A. Birge. "The regulations denying tardy students the right to take their final examinations will not apply to them."

**ELWELL IS HONORED**

At the annual meeting of the American Association of University Instructors in Accounting held in Philadelphia Dec. 27 and 28, Prof. F. H. Elwell of the Cource in Commerce was elected president for the coming year.

**HAS FRACTURED ARM**

In a recent fall, Mrs. H. Spafford, Hyland Park, sustained a compound fracture of the arm.

**MISS PACKMAN RECOVERS**

Miss Gertrude Packman, U. W., West Dayton street, who was operated upon by Dr. Stebbins a short time ago, at St. Mary's hospital, has resumed her school work.

## BIG SALE AT HILL'S TO START THURSDAY

### State Street Store Will Have Big Offerings in Many Articles

One of the biggest bargain sales of the year will be launched next Thursday morning at Hill's Shop for Ladies, corner of State and Dayton streets. The doors will be opened at 9 a. m. and according to records of past sales the doors will not be large enough to accomodate the crowds, who will want to buy and save money.

$45,000 worth of merchandise will be put on sale at very low prices in comparison with the present cost of materials, and there will be hundreds of winter suits, coats, dresses, waists, furs, millinery, skirts, children's coats and dresses, and lingerie offered at practically cost price.

The store will be closed after 3 p. m. Wednesday in order to get ready for the big sale, which is going to be an "over the top" January sale.

The Actor—"I say, old thing, I'm getting awfully popular. A new cigar has been named after me." His Manager—"H'm! ope it draws better than you do!"

Have you ENLISTED in the Army of Savers? Buy War-Savings Stamps!

## WAR SUMMARY

(By the Associated Press)

French troops in the Woevre have enlivened the virtual inactivity on the western front by successfully completing a sortie in the German lines east of St. Mihiel. The German positions on a one mile front were penetrated and 150 prisoners and some machine guns captured. After destroying the defenses and shelters the French returned to their own lines.

The French also made an attempt against the enemy lines near Ammerzweiler, in Alsace, according to Berlin, which claims the thrust was repulsed. Paris announces the checking of German attempts in the region of Mont Teton in Champagne. Meanwhile the artillery duel northeast of Verdun and in upper Alsace continues active.

German troops in a local attack east of Bullecourt, west-northwest of Cambrai, entered the British trenches but a counter attack ejected the enemy who left 18 prisoners in the hands of the British. Berlin reports the failure of a British thrust on the Boesinghe-Staden railway, northeast of Ypres. The German artillery is still active in the Ypres sector.

Bad weather on the Italian front has reduced infantry operations to a minimum but the artillery is busy on the northern line between Asiago and the Piave.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, in his review of the 1917 campaign up to mid-November, says that the additional strength the Germans have gained from the Russian and Italian failures has largely been discounted. He declares that the ultimate destruction of the German armies has been brought appreciably nearer. The offensive campaign planned for 1917 failed of completion but on the western front the allies gained the victories of Arras, Vimy, Messines, Flanders, Verdun, Champagne and the Aisne.

Germany has extended her submarine barred zone to include the Cape Verde islands and Madeira, off the northwestern coast of Africa, and part of the coast of French Senegal. The islands and the region about Dakar are alleged to be "enemy supporting points." The new order, which is effective Jan. 11, follows the one of November which extended the barred zone to include the Azores, which lie northwest of Madeira and north of the Cape Verde islands. The new order virtually cuts off Spain, the only neutral in southern Europe, from communication with North and South America.

## RATE SYSTEM TO BE CHANGED BY WAR PLAN

### Complicated and Archaic Schedules Will be Swept Aside for New Basis

### MEANS READJUSTMENT

### Believed That McAdoo Will Not Order Changes Without Commerce Board Aid

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—General readjustment of the country's complicated rate system to fit the new noncompetitive situation, will be one of the early outgrowths of government railroad operations, it was officially indicated today. Many readjustments considered inevitable involve material increases in rates.

The interstate commerce commission's attention has been called to a number of abnormally low rate schedules caused by competition between railroads whose rivalries have now ceased. Consequently the basic cause for the low rates has been removed and the expected result is the development of agitation for a general modification.

The method of accomplishing this has not been worked out, but many officials believe the interstate commerce commission eventually will have to take the initiative in revising rates. Any increases or decreases in rates would have to be made a case at a time and the entire process would extend over a year or more.

The power of Director General McAdoo to determine rates has not yet been ascertained clearly, but it is believed he would not attempt to order rate modifications without the approval of the commission. Temporarily railroads have been left free to conduct their own rate questions and since the government assumed control a number of applications for increases have been received by the interstate commerce commission.

## OPERA SINGER LOSES $10,000 IN JEWELRY, SHE TELLS THE POLICE

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Miss Anna Fitziu, grand opera singer, reported to the police that $10,000 worth of jewelry had disappeared from her room at a hotel last night while she was singing at the theater. The jewelry consisted of two 10-karat diamonds and one of nearly fire karats, she said.

## CHAOS SEEN IN CONDITIONS IN RUSSIA

### Christmas Celebration in Petrograd Most Tragic in Many Years

### FOOD SITUATION BAD

### Only Intervention of the Allies Can Prevent a Catastrophe

[By the Associated Press.]

LONDON, Jan. 9.—The situation in Petrograd is depicted in the most gloomy colors by the correspondent of the Times, in a telegram dated Monday, the Russian Christmas, says that no Christmas in three hundred years has been celebrated in such tragic circumstances. Petrograd, he adds, is full of dirt, disorder and crime.

Burglary, robbery and murder in the most audacious forms prevail to an extent hitherto unknown and there is no police or other authority to which to appeal.

The food situation is very critical, he says, and starvation appears to be staring the people in the face. The only bread to be had is black, gritty and underdone, and is composed of millers' refuse and mixed with straw. Potatoes are getting scarce and dear, while meat is a rare luxury.

The wretched conditions of existence have been aggravated by blinding snowstorms drifted by violent winds for three days and nights with the temperature at 14 degrees Fahrenheit. The correspondent of the Times thus sums up the general position of the country:

"Russian affairs have become so desperate that only the intervention of the allies or the Germans can prevent catastrophe. As this can no longer be expected from the allies, the disheartened Russian looks to the Germans to put an end to the awful chaos in which the country now is involved."

## MISSISSIPPI RIVER BOATS WILL QUIT

### Streckfus Line Will Not Operate St. Louis-St. Paul Lines This Year

[By the Associated Press.]

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 9.—Joseph Streckfus, head of the Streckfus Steamboat Line announced that the company would not operate boats in the St. Louis—St. Paul traffic this year. The Streckfus line is the only line operating passenger boats between St. Louis and St. Paul.

## SAYS 130 VILLAGES HAVE BEEN LEVELLED TO GROUND BY GERMANY

[By the Associated Press.]

PARIS, Jan. 9.—The Rome correspondent of the Matin says that, by order of Field Marshal von Hindenburg, 130 villages behind the western front, mostly in the region of St. Quentin, have been levelled to the ground so as to afford better opportunity for defense of the German lines to the rear. Notwithstanding denials, the correspondent adds, only one third of the 300,000 Belgians deported to Germany have been permitted to return to their homes.

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33. Good ventilation — heat.
34. Not bound by precedent.
35. Enforced charge records.
36. Get rid of unsalable stock.
37. Attractive show windows.
38. Never satisfied with results.
39. Temperate in food and drink.
40. Enough help.
41. Satisfied clerks.
42. Latest methods.
43. Good illumination.
44. Good store system.
45. Good management.
46. Careful with goods.
47. Record of bills paid.
48. Systematic deliveries.
49. Stock well displayed.
50. Purchase moderately.
51. Attention to business.
52. Courteous to customers.
53. Definite purpose in view.
54. Incentive to ambitious clerks.
55. Have what customers ask for.
56. Profit by experience of others.
57. Profit by their own experience.
58. Judicious expenditure of money.
59. After suggestions and criticisms.
60. Gather ideas from traveling men.
61. Locate responsibility for mistakes.
62. Responsibility for mistakes located.
63. Remove temptation from employees.
64. Few mistakes and those profited by.
65. Consideration for customers' interests.
66. A check on clerks' ability and industry.
67. Have time for bigger business problems.
68. Take advantage of wholesalers' advertising.
69. Volume of credit business watched carefully.
70. Money received on account properly credited.
71. Investigate new devices before forming opinions.
72. Don't try to carry business details in their heads.
73. Weigh advice carefully, then use own good judgment.
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## LABOR NEWS

## GOMPERS AGAINST BURLESON PLANS

### Federation of Labor Secretary Decries "Corporation Plan"

### THIS NOT A KAISERDOM

### Should Operate in Accordance With Spirit of Republic

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in the latest issue of the American Federationist scores Postmaster General Burleson for his attempt to repeal the law that gave postal and other government employes the right to maintain their own organizations in furtherance of the interests of the members, free from the domination of department heads.

This was what was known as the "Antigag law" and was enacted by the sixty-second congress.

**On Corporation Plan.**

"Postmaster Burleson," says Mr. Gompers, "conceives it to be his duty to run the postoffice department as a money-making institution instead of an agency to render service to all of the people. He outlined policies for the Postoffice department of the worst corporation kind, seeking to show balances at the end of the year with no thought or care for the human needs or aspirations of those employed. Protest against this policy has come from the post office employes who stand for the humanitation of work and hold that public undertakings must be conducted with regard to human interests, even at the expense of profits."

President Gompers refutes the claim of Postmaster General Burleson to the effect that the government employes are affiliated with outside organizations and will use the strike and the boycott to enforce their demands.

He also points out that employes found no opportunity to secure hearings until they formed organizations not dominated by department heads.

**This No Kaiserdom.**

After pointing out that the postal men's affiliation with the labor federation was purely voluntary, and announcing that the federation of Labor will contest any effort to repeal the "Antigag law," Mr. Gompers says:

"Remember, Mr. Burleson, that we are not operating under a Kaiserdom such as exists in Germany, but in accord with the spirit and genius of our free republic."

**LABOR UNION MEETINGS.**

Trainmen—First and third Sunday.
Federation of Labor—First and third Monday.
Tailors—Second Monday.
Street Car Men—Fourth Monday.
Barbers—First Tuesday.
Lathers—First Monday.
Tinners—Second Tuesday.
Machinists—Second and fourth Tuesday.
Carpenters—Second and fourth Wednesday.
Printers—First Wednesday.
Cigar Makers—First Thursday.
Plasterers—First and third Thursday.
Electricians—Second and fourth Thursday.
Painters—Second and fourth Friday.
Plumbers and Steamfitters—Friday nights.
Teamsters—Third Saturday.
Stage Employes—Last Sunday.
Moulders—Third Tuesday.
Musicians—Second Sunday of each Month.

**PRESIDENT DREYFUS IN BIG BASEBALL DEAL**

[By the Associated Press.]

PITTSBURG, Pa., Jan. 9.—Barney Dreyfus, president of the Pittsburg National league baseball club, announced today that arrangements had been completed whereby Mamaux, Ward and Grimes are to go to the Brooklyn National league club in exchange for Stengel and Cutshaw. Mamaux and Grimes are pitchers and Ward a shortstop, while Cutshaw is an infielder and Stengel an outfielder.

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## GETS SENTENCE ALONE TO JAIL

### De Tour Man Assists County That Has Lack of Officials

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Jan. 9.—"Here I am, lock me up for fifteen days," said James Lee of De Tour to Sheriff Lundy of Chippewa county as he handed the officer the commitment papers.

When the sheriff asked what it all meant Lee replied that he had been sentenced in De Tour to serve fifteen days in the county jail on a charge of having killed a deer out of season. As there was no officer to send to the Soo with the prisoner Lee was asked if he would go alone. He replied that he would. Stoutly denying that he was guilty of the offense which landed him in jail, Lee elected to serve his sentence rather than pay the fine assessed in lieu thereof.

**179 PRISONERS TAKEN**

[By the Associated Press.]

PARIS, Jan. 9.—A total of 179 prisoners was brought back by the French from their raid upon the German lines in the region north of Seichoprey, east of St. Mihiel, yesterday, the war office announced today.

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## Court House Notes

**County Court**

Estate of Anton Koeppel—Judgment on claims entered.

Estate of Henry Gerke—Account approved and judgment directed.

Estate of Frederick Thies—Ordered for settlement at February term.

Estate of Robert Swanton—Judgment on claims entered.

Estate of Joseph Cerhan—Ordered application for administration be heard at the February term, and claims at the June term.

Estate of Ann McDonald — Will proved and James S. Cusich appointed executor.

Estate of Robert Helgson—Administration ordered for hearing at the February term; claims to be heard at the June term.

Estate of Harry H. Goodrich—Heirship proven and administration granted to Sehmyler W. Goodrich.

Guardianship of Alice Marie Dahle, infant—Additional bond of $40,000; sale of realty approved.

**Real Estate Transfers**

Calvin Whaley to William Quam, lot in the Willow Springs addition to the city of Stoughton. Consideration, $500.

**Want Street Closed**

The Stoughton Wagon company today filed an application with the register of deeds for the closing of that section of Madison street, in the city of Stoughton, located between lot 5 of block 26 and lot 8 of block 23.

# What a THRIFT STAMP Is—

A Thrift Stamp is a small stamp that is sold by our Government to help people save and to raise money to win the war. It costs only a quarter —it's easy to save this way. Buy one as often as you can, at the post-office.

When you buy the first Thrift Stamp you get a card with empty places for 16 Thrift Stamps. When you get 16 Thrift Stamps on the card, which have cost you then $4.00, you pay twelve cents more and exchange this card for a War Savings Stamp, a bigger stamp that in five years pays you back $5.00 in cash.

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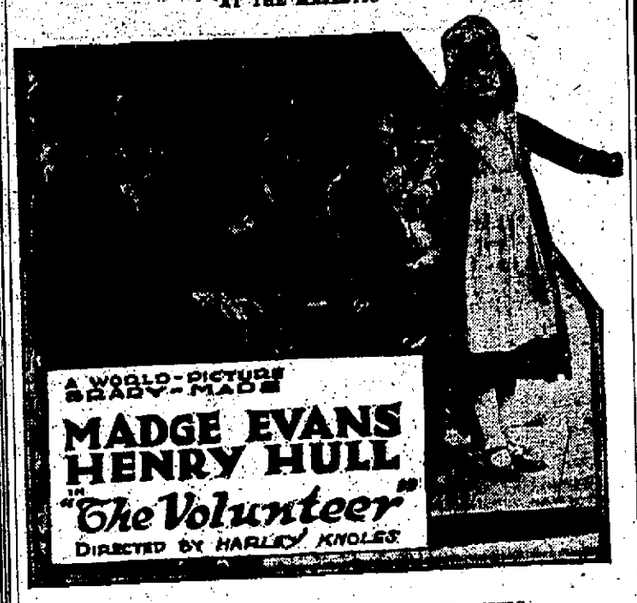


### GRAND

Comedians of note are in the cast supporting the Goldwyn comediennes, Madge Kennedy, in the filming of "Nearly Married," Edgar Selwyn's successful comedy, which is to be shown at the Grand today and tomorrow. Among them are Frank Thomas, Mark Smith, Alma Tell, Richard Barthelmess and Hedda Hopper.

Mr. Thomas, after a number of years in stock, was seen in several noteworthy Broadway attractions and last season was leading man in "The House of Glass." Though his motion picture experience is limited, Mr. Thomas is doing splendid work in the role of "Harry Lindsey."

### FULLER

A well known saying exists to the effect that the best goods come in the smallest package.

This applies to diamonds and food stuffs—under war time conditions—and to Marguerite Clark under any time in any place. Marguerite Clark is one of the tiniest of all the small motion picture stars of the film firmament—and it has long been a noticeable fact that the greatest stars are the smallest.

Some of her best known stage successes were: "Jim the Penman," "Baby Mine," "Lights O London," "The Affairs of Anatole," "Snow White," and "Prunella."

It was a photograph of her in "Prunella" that caught the eye of Adolph Zukor, President of the Famous Players-Laskey Corporation, and set him speculating as to whether the small star would be as attractive on the screen as on the stage. The more he studied the photograph, the more convinced he became that Marguerite Clark should be added to the then already long list of Paramount stars.

Thus it was that Miss Clark began her picture career which soon led her to definitely forsake the stage. Some of her notable productions have been "Snow White," "The Amazons," and now, "Bab's Matinee Idol," which is to be shown at the Fuller Theatre today and tomorrow.

### MAJESTIC

Did you ever see eight stars in one picture? Here's your chance, when "The Volunteer" coming to the Majestic today and tomorrow starring Madge Evans and Henry Hull and six other famous stars, you will see—The great World Studio running at full blast, Carlyle Blackwell in the midst of directing a new picture; Kitty Gordon in her dressing room; Ethel Clayton and her director conferring; Eevelyn Gresly in the midst of a bevy of girls awaiting the shifting of a big scene; June Elvidge mourning over the departure of Madge Evans; Montagu Love asleep on a lonuge while a big court scent is being filmed; Wm. A. Brady, himself, never before seen in motion pictures, though he has supervised scores of them; Madge Evans parting from her director, also bringing in recruits for Uncle Sam.

### ORPHEUM

A bevy of fantastic scenery and costuming (not so much costumes as costuming) makes the five scene act, The Zig Zag Revue, the headliner at the Orpheum the first of this week, a glittering act. Charles Marsh, the only man, is good to look at, and made an especial hit with his song, "When the Kaiser Said to Pershing, Here's My Sword, I'm Through, Then I'll Come Back to You." Miss Elaine Julyette was the star of the performance with her sorceress dancing, while Miss Parker, a refined "sweet looking" woman, won her share of praise.

All married couples should see the comedy episode, "Any Couple," put on by Frank Dae and Margaret Neville. Does husband ever come home with a grouch? Then see how this wife, who simply couldn't understand baseball, finally got the upper hand of her husband.

Danny Simmons, "The Raw Recruit," who enlisted in the Scottish regiment of five members because he "was standing on the corner of a street," got many laughs from the audience, and with his impersonation of Teddy Roosevelt, certainly struck home.

Booth and Leander, the cyclist and the nut, did some good bicycle ladder climbing. Davis and Moore, "Some Song Singers," gave some good numbers.—H. W.


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Today's Program
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IN
"THE MAN WHO WAS AFRAID"
Coming Tomorrow—GAIL KANE in "A GAME OF WITS"


# SHEAR SHEEP KNITS HELMETS

## Because Woman Does This She Gets "Champion" Title

### S. D. HAS RED CROSS WORK

### Mrs. Chris White Holds Enviable Record for Doing Good

DELL RAPIDS, S. D., Jan. 9.—Because she raises the sheep, shears them, cleans and cards the wool, makes it in colors to the Red Cross standard gray by carefully mixing the wool and knits socks, sweaters and caps out of it for the Red Cross, Mrs. Chris White of Dell Rapids, has earned the title of "America's champion Red Cross helper."

The title was given Mrs. White by the Minneapolis Red Cross headquarters where she sends all her work and her name leads all the other workers in the northwest. She also knits for her grandsons in the army and for other boys with whom she is personally acquainted in army cantonments and "over there." She is 70 years old.

**Says "It's Nothing.**

The number of articles she has knitted since the United States entered the war, Mrs. White said she could not estimate but she protested that her work was "not worth making so much fuss about."

"What I did for the soldier boys and what I'm doing, isn't much," she said as her hands made her knitting needles fly. "When I sheared the sheep, washed and combed the wool, spun the yarn and knit the socks, I had no idea of anybody taking any notice of it. You see I simply did it for the soldiers. To me it seems very easy, because its something I learned in my childhood.

"It takes me about a week from the time I cut the wool off the sheep to the time I have finished a pair of socks. But then you must understand that I do my housework in that time too," she continued as she looked up for the first time and stopped her knitting to pull a little more yarn from the ball on the floor.

"If the women in other communities want to make their own yarn, tell them it isn't hard to run a spinning wheel," she said, resuming her knitting. "Not nearly as hard to learn as one of those new-fangled sewing machines."

Mrs. White was born in Denmark and came to South Dakota, 45 years ago. She has one grandson fighting in France and several in training in this country, all of whom have been benefited by her knitting.

### FORMER JANESVILLE PASTOR IS DEAD IN THE EAST

[By the Associated Press.]

LEONIA, N. J., Jan. 9.—Olin Alfred Curtis, theologian, died of heart trouble at his home here last night aged sixty-seven years. He was born at Frankfort, Maine, was graduated from Boston university, occupied Methodist pulpits at Janesville, Wis., Milwaukee and Chicago, was professor of system theology at Boston University and Drew Theological seminary, and since 1914 had been the emeritus professor in that subject at Drew.

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JUNE FROM "THE ZIG ZAG REVUE" FEATURING ELAINE JULEYTTE AT ORPHEUM LAST TIMES TONIGHT

# BANKS RE-ELECT OLD OFFICIALS

## T. E. Coleman Becomes a Director of Security State; No Other Changes

With the exception of the Randall State and the Bank of the Commonwealth, all Madison banks held their annual election of officers yesterday afternoon.

The only change recorded in bank officers was at the Security State bank where T. E. Coleman was chosen director to succeed A. W. Skulkamp. That bank's election was as follows: Directors: A. X. Merz, Henry Loftsgordon, William Dempsey, Carl H. Tenney and Henry J. Loftsgordon. Officers, A. X. Merz, president; Henry Loftsgordon, vice president, and Herman J. Loftsgordon, cashier.

The First National bank directors re-elected A. E. Proudfit, president; M. E. Fuller and Frank G. Brown, vice presidents. All directors were retained.

J. M. Boyd was re-elected president of the Bank of Wisconsin. The other officers, all re-elected, are Dean H. L. Russell, first vice president; Frank Kessenich, second vice president; Charles O'Neill, cashier; H. J. Jamieson, I. E. Backus and B. R. l'Hommedieu, assistant cashiers.

All directors were re-elected by the stock-holders of the Commercial National bank. The directors will meet tomorrow afternoon to elect officers.

The Central Wisconsin Trust company stockholders re-elected L. M. Hanks president, Magnus Swenson and Judge John Barnes vice presidents, F. M. Brown treasurer, B. J. Halligan secretary and T. R. Hefty assistant secretary. All directors were re-elected.

The State bank re-elected L. S. Hanks president, J. H. Palmer vice president and E. O. Kney cashier.

F. W. Suhr, John Suhr and Edmund Suhr were re-elected president, vice president and cashier, respectively, at the German-American bank.

J. W. Hobbins remains as president and cashier and Carl A. Johnson as vice president of the Capital City bank.

The Merchants and Savings bank retained A. M. Stondall as president, T. C. McCarthy as vice president and Milo C. Hagen as cashier.

The stockholders of the Savings Loan & Trust Co., last night re-elected all directors, who in turn chose the following officers to succeed themselves:

E. B. Steensland, president and treasurer; Julius G. A. Zehnter and W. A. P. Morris, vice presidents; E. F. Riley, secretary and trust officer, and I. M. Kittleson, assistant secretary.

The meeting of the Bank of the Commonwealth will be held later and the Randall State bank will elect later, also.

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# GREEN BAY FIRM GETS FOOD ORDER

## Contract of $18,000 to Supply State Institutions is Awarded

Joannes Brothers company, have just received notice that the contract for supplying groceries for the next three months to the fourteen state institutions has again been awarded to it by the Wisconsin State Board of Control. The contract amounts to about $18,000.

The institutions are all located in this state at the following points: Mendota, Winnebago, Delavan, Janesville, Waukesha, Waupun, Sparta, Chippewa Falls, Green Bay, Statesan, Taycheedah, Union Grove, Tomahawk Lake and Milwaukee.

Bids were submitted by wholesale grocers located in Chicago, Milwaukee and other cities in this state and the Green Bay firm was the successful bidder. This is the tenth time for a continuous period of two and one-half years that Joannes Brothers company have been awarded this contract and the amount of the contract has increased during that period about six thousand dollars on account of the increased cost of food products.

### CARGO OF CUBAN SUGAR ARRIVES IN THE U. S.

[By the Associated Press.]

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Jan. 9.—Two steamers, carrying cargoes of Cuban sugar, arrived here today. The vessels are the Bayamo, with 8,960 pounds of raw sugar and the Ottar, with 4,800 pounds. The sugar will be refined as soon as possible to relieve the sugar shortage.

### AMERICAN IS WOUNDED; TWO OTHERS ARE DEAD

[By the Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—General Pershing today reported that Private Arthur J. Snedeker, engineer, of Columbus, Mo., was seriously wounded in action on Dec. 31. No details of any engagement were given.

The following deaths from natural causes also were reported: Private James L. Lumsden, pneumonia. Sister, Mrs. J. F. Loucks, Kermit, N. D. Private Guy Lovell, Ronan, Mont.

# TENNEY HEADS SCHOOL BOARD; KRONCKE OUT

## Former President Nominates Local Attorney as Head of Organization

### COMMITTEES NAMED

## Resignations of Teachers Are Received; Request From Defense Council

Carl H. Tenney was last night elected president of the Madison school board to succeed George Kroncke, who has held the office since 1911. Mr. Kroncke made the nomination of Mr. Tenney who has been serving as treasurer of the school board.

W. H. Collins was elected treasurer in place of Mr. Tenney and John Moran was re-elected secretary.

**Committees Named**

President Tenney named the following standing committees:

**Teachers**—Kroncke, Tenney, Moran.

**Course of study and text books**—Dr. Victor Lenher, Tenney, Dr. L. B. Wolfenson.

**Finance**—Moran, Sayle, Collins.

**Supplies**—Sayle, Alderman Lucas, Wolfenson.

**Buildings**—Sayle, Moran, Lucas, Collins, Kroncke.

**Playgrounds**—Collins, Sayle, Moran.

**Medical inspection in schools**—Lenher, Sayle, Wolfenson.

**Special committee on tuitions**—Tenney, Superintendent Dudgeon, Principal Wrabetz.

**War committee**—Lenher, Sayle, Wolfenson.

**Resignations In.**

The board accepted the following resignations:

Miss Maude Brydges, teacher, Randall school; Miss Florence Fleming, high school; Miss Adelaide Donovan, Harvey school, and E. N. Koons, teacher in manual training of the elementary grades.

Mrs. Neanne W. Coon was elected teacher of the fifth grade in the Randall school and E. N. Schleck manual training teacher of the elementary grades.

A request was received from the State Council of Defense asking the use of school buildings for the drilling of boy scouts.

A communication from Supt. C. P. Cary stated that his state department was taking up the work of preparing school boys for farm work this coming spring and summer and requesting the cooperation of the local board. Principal Voyta Wrabetz will take the matter up with the war committee of the school board.

### HEALEY CASE WILL GO TO JURY ON SATURDAY

[By the Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Final arguments in the trial of former Chief of Police Healy and others, charged with graft conspiracy, were begun today, exactly one year after the defendants were arrested. The prosecution began its argument today. It is thought the case will be in the hands of the jury by Saturday.

### TAKEN TO PRISON

Deputy United States Marshal Toulton and Sheriff Ireland yesterday left for Leavenworth with Joseph Davis who has been sentenced to the federal prison for five years. He was implicated in the rifling of a mail pouch at Spooner.

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## The President's Message

YESTERDAY nearly all the world was talking and thinking only of war. Today nearly all the world is talking and thinking of peace.

The despized Russian Bolsheviki government has precipitated a veritable avalanche of peace terms from the nations at war. Following their own frank statement of terms a few short weeks ago the Central powers followed with a statement of peace terms at the Brest-Litovsk conference, couched in general phrases, which had no definite meaning. The Bolsheviki delegates demanded a definite statement of purpose, and the reply of the Austro-German representatives disclosed the hypocrisy and pretense, which was masked behind their verbal front. Germany thought that the Russian people would accept any kind of a peace, but in this they were sadly mistaken. The Russian delegates broke off negotiations, and announced to the world the German terms, terms which called for a subjugated Russia.

Lloyd-George, the English prime minister, came forward on Saturday last with a statement of allied purpose, and conditions on which peace would be concluded. It was a master stroke, and despite some weaknesses, apparently united nearly all the heretofore discordant elements in the British Empire behind him.

If anything further was needed to put Germany completely on the defensive President Wilson furnished the final and the telling blow in a notable address to the American Congress yesterday. The statement of American peace terms, or war aims, was given with a degree of definiteness not manifested by any representative of any of the nations at war. If Lloyd-George was specific on Saturday, President Wilson was more so on Tuesday. The two statements are in substantial agreement on the main questions at issue. But where Lloyd-George was weakest, Wilson was strongest. Lloyd-George slightingly referred to the present Russian government. President Wilson struck the highest note in his address, when he spoke of the Russian people and their present government in terms of highest praise, and asked for the sympathetic cooperation of the nations of the world.

The President's address should encourage the liberal elements in Germany, make clear to the Russian people the high purposes of the American government, and prove a powerful stimulant in solidifying the peoples of the allied nations behind their governments, should the central powers refuse to accept the statement as a basis for peace negotiations.

## Jolt for Junkers

THE address of President Wilson to congress yesterday served to confound the junker press, which is ever ready to denounce those suggesting the possibility of peace as agents of the Kaiser, and the German autocracy. The Bolsheviki, who are in control of the Russian government, and who sent the Russian delegates to the recent Brest-Litovsk peace conference, have been the particular object of their editorial abuse for weeks past. Many of them, who pretend to support the President, yesterday carried editorial denunciations of the Bolsheviki leaders as despicable tools and knaves, while they were compelled to print in their news columns the following estimate of the Russian people and their government by the President of the United States:

"The Russian representatives have insisted very justly, very wisely, and in the true spirit of democracy that the conferences they have been holding with the Teutonic and Turkish statesmen should be within open, not closed doors, and all the world has been audience as was desired."

"The Russian representatives were SINCERE AND IN EARNEST. They cannot entertain such proposals of conquest and domination (as proposed by Germany)."

Referring further to the Russian people, the President said:

"Their power apparently is shattered, and yet their soul is not subservient.

"They will not yield either in principle or in action. The conception of what is right, of what is humane and honorable for them to accept, has been stated with a frankness, a largeness of view, a generosity of spirit and a universal human sympathy which must challenge the admiration of every friend of mankind, and they have refused to compound their ideals or desert others that they themselves may be safe.

"They call to us to say what it is that we desire, in what, if in anything, our purpose and our spirit differ from theirs; and I believe that the people of the United States would wish me to respond with utter simplicity and frankness. Whether their present leaders believe it or not, it is our heartfelt desire and hope that some way may be opened, whereby we may be privileged to assist the people of Russia to attain their utmost hope of liberty and ordered peace."

The President apparently is not in sympathy with the oft repeated suggestions of the American junker press that our government finance a revolution in Russia under the auspices of the Cossack leader Kaledines, and the bureaucrat Korniloff.

## Canada's Wise Plan

THE Canadian Government has established a minimum price at which the Canadian "Victory" bonds may be sold. This result was arrived at a meeting of the Canadian Bond Dealer's Association called at the instance of the Canadian minister of finance. The minimum figure at which anyone will be permitted to deal in the bonds will be announced when the bonds are placed on sale in the Canadian Stock Exchanges. It will be based on the net cost to the original subscriber.

The American government may well follow the Canadian example. No single factor is more disturbing to the successful prosecution of the war than the continued daily advertising of the fact that the stock riggers in Wall Street are dealing in Liberty Bonds at a discount of around three per cent below par. The best security on earth has been for years the bond of the U. S. Government.

The present issue was sold at one-hundred cents on the dollar. Nothing has happened since that time which can in any manner be said to have impaired the credit of the government or be construed as favorable to a German victory. The probability of the success of the allied arms increases with each passing day. Then why should stock gamblers all of whom invariably pose as one hundred per cent patriots, appraise the value of their government's promise to pay at 97 cents on the dollar?

Another Liberty Loan will be floated soon. It must be made a success even more overwhelming than those preceding it. But a false impression of the value of government securities should not be permitted to be spread over the country, if future loans are to be made a success.

A good story is told by the dean of Carlisle. It concerns a clergyman who, taking occasional duty for a friend in one of the moorland churches in a remote corner of Cumberland, was one day greatly scandalized on observing the old verger, who had been collecting the offertory, quietly abstract a half-crown before presenting the plate at the altar rails. After service he called the old man into the vestry and told him, with emotion, that his crime had been discovered. The verger looked puzzled. Then a sudden light dawned on him. "Why, sir, you doan't mean 'that ould half-crown of mine! why, I've led off with 'im this last fifteen year."—London Tit-Bits.

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## FINANCIAL NOTE

"Reports current in financial circles are to the effect that instead of reducing the dividends upon its common stock, because of the levying of the excess profits tax and other imposts by the government, the Great Western Sugar company is contemplating an increase in the rate which is now 47 per cent.

While officers of the company are not disposed to discuss the subject of earnings or the probabilities of dividend increases, they do not dispute the fact that this year's production will exceed 5,000,000 bags, nor that the profit will approximate $3.50 a bag. This is low rather than high, but it would produce a net return of $16,000,000 for the current year's business.

That the company has an immense cash surplus is admitted, but estimates of its size vary from $40,000,000 to $50,000,000.

The Great Western Sugar company will be able next year to net about $2 a bag, thus making the earnings available for dividends in the neighborhood of $10,000,000, which would leave about $69 a share for the 150,000 shares of common stock or $12 more than is paid now."—Colorado Springs Evening Telegraph.

# Says Stories of Dumping of Food Stuff Are Untrue; Fruit Jobber's Views

**Fruit jobbers have contended that many of the stories appearing in newspapers about fruit and food supplies being dumped in order to enchance prices have been without foundation. The following article which appeared in the January number of The Western Fruit Jobber is illuminating.—The Editor.**

By W. H. GRUPE

Under date of November 15 the Secretary of the Western Fruit Jobbers Association received a letter from Mr. W. H. Grupe, which was not intended for publication, but it outlines the duty of individuals so clearly that we are taking the liberty of publishing it. The letter and enclosure is as follows:

"Burlington, Iowa, Nov. 15, 1917.

"Mr. W. D. Tidell,
Denver, Colo.

"Dear Sir:

"To show what can be done by a little effort, I am forwarding you a copy of The Burlington Gazette, calling your attention to an interview relative to 'fake' stories. This same paper is the one that has published many misstatements and a number of editorials scoring our line of business.

"Only a few days ago this paper contained a cut of the great mountain of potatoes that were dumped in Chicago by reason of dealers having held them on the track and allowing them to freeze in order that prices might be kept up or advanced. I called upon the editor, took to him the statement of C. J. Brand, Chief of the Bureau of Markets, and copied from a reliable publication, the Nation's Business, issued by the Chamber of Commerce, in which Mr. Brand is quoted as stating that only potatoes frozen in the field or frozen in the cars in transit had been dumped and that statements to the contrary were 'all bosh.'

"Then I called his attention to the result of the investigations by the department of justice on the more recent sensational accusation of dealers allowing potatoes to freeze and also of dumping good potatoes, and he agreed to print my statement and comments as given in the article herewith. This was published under date of November 13th in the regular daily issue.

"I believe that if each member of our organization would take the time and the trouble to go to the local newspaper or newspapers, and explain these matters, show them actual facts, the newspapers in most cases will publish the corrections or give a true version of the conditions prevailing in perishable food distribution.

"This is not only to our interest as business men, but I believe is doing a patriotic work. This is a time when good will and harmony are essential among all classes of people to our success in war, and anyone, who by misstatements, is stirring up class hatred is, whether intentionally or unintentionally, committing an act of treason. Our business is now licensed. We are under the control and under the supervision of the food commission, and while I believe none of the acts of which our dealers have been accused in the papers were ever committed, it is absolutely impossible that they should be committed now.

"The publicity committee cannot do this work alone. Disabuse of the public mind and creation of a better sentiment must be accomplished by individual effort of members in all parts of the country and not in one or two localities. May all members pitch in and help.

Yours very truly,
(Signed) W. H. Grupe."

The article in the Gazette is as follows:

### DUMP STORY ALL BUNK

**Is What Federal Investigators Say of "Spud Scandal."**

**W. H. Grupe Cites Decision Reached by Hinton G. Clabaugh at Chicago —Says Rumors Foment Strife.**

That fake rumors of foodstuffs being deliberately permitted to spoil, or are being dumped by speculators are a big factor in fomenting discontent, and are an added burden to the country in this time of trial, is the version of W. H. Grupe, who has paid considerable attention to these rumors, and to the refutation of them.

Since his firm deals largely in perishable foods, Mr. Grupe has closely followed all the rumors of good food being dumped or allowed to spoil—and he has also gone further than the general public in that he always paid close attention to the investigation which follows these reports. Here is what Mr. Grupe has to say about the "potato rot" story that recently came out of Chicago:

"Owing to the unusually severe cold weather and the scarcity of labor to harvest them, many potatoes were frozen in the fields, or after being dug were frozen while awaiting cars to ship them in. Cars that arrived containing field frosted and frozen stock must necessarily be sorted over and the damaged potatoes thrown out in order that the cars may be made saleable. An unusual amount of this frozen, worthless stock was dumped at a place set aside for this purpose in Chicago. The newspapers got hold of it, came out with great headlines, with cuts illustrating the piles of potatoes and made statements that a gigantic conspiracy to spoil food by the carload and dump it and waste it in order that the prices might be kept up, was under way.

"An investigation by the federal authorities revealed the fact that only worthless potatoes were dumped. This correction was given very small space in the same papers which featured the more exciting recital of the great amount of foodstuff being destroyed for selfish purposes."

**What Clabough Found.**

Here is the comment on this subject given by Hinton G. Clabough, special investigator for the federal department of justice. "Most of the talk about illegal destruction of vegetables is all bunk, the wastage existed only on paper. If anyone can show me criminal intent in the matter I would like to have them do so. My men have been unable to find any. I am getting sick and tired of all this publicity. It stirs the public up to fever heat over nothing."

"Nothing is more effective, if anyone wishes to stir up discontent with conditions in our country than the statement that good food is being wilfully destroyed by selfish people for the purpose of holding up prices. But the department of justice is getting tired of this agitation. It is to be hoped if they cannot find anyone guilty of the destruction of food, they will be able to find some people guilty of inciting to riot at a time when good-will and harmony are necessary for our sucess in war."

## News of the Past

**Fifty Years Ago**

Peggott, editor of Dublin "Irishman," arrested on charge of sedition. . . Reichstag in Berlin adopts strong resolutions against restricting liberty of speech. . . Charity fair at Washington votes Pres. Johnson gold-headed cane as city's most popular man. . . M. L. Littlejohn of Walworth chosen pres. pro. tem. of Wis. senate. . . Gov. Fairchild reports U. W. in excellent condition and compliments Pres. Chadbourne. . . Madison turners have masquerade ball. . . Thermometer in city registers 18° below zero. . . Lively time reported at faro game in Vilas house. . .

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**Twenty-five Years Ago**

Altgeld inaugurated Gov. of Illinois. . . Two million dollar fire in Boston. . . Wis supreme courrt decides case against ex-treasurers McFettridge and Harsrhaw. . . Judge Rufus Hathaway of Oconomowoc dies. . . John Johnston, Milwaukee, retires from business. . . Alexander Bull gives concert in Presb. church. . . Wis. senate chooses Sen. McBride pres. pro tem.; Sam Shafer, chief clerk, and John Becker sergeant-at-arms. . . Swinburn writes great poem on Grace Darling.

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**Ten Years Ago**

Papers filled with trial of Thaw case. . . Great Western R. R., "Maple Leaf Line," goes into hands of receiver. . . Prof. Van Hise and Paul S. Reinsch go to Ann Arbor to meeting of Association of American universities. . . Tim. E. Ryan of Waukesha in Madison on political mission. . . State treasurer and Mrs. A. H. Dahl announce engagement of their daughter Elnora to Charles L. Parsons of Los Angeles. . . A. O. Barton writes of mining operations from Cripple Creek, Col. . . Thomas H. Dickinson rejoices over revival of literary spirit in U. W. . . Prof. Grant Showerman celebrates 38th birthday anniversary, he having been born at Brookfield, Wis., Jan. 9, 1870.

### THE WAR AT HOME.

From the Living Church.

I wonder if we appreciate what "fighting for democracy" means to those who are really doing the fighting? This paragraph is quoted from the letter of a Philadelphia boy who is fighting in France:

"George wanted to know what could be done to help out "over here." I will write and tell of anything I see; but one thing is sure—that there is no fun in fighting to save democracy for a lot of grafting politicians, and nothing would put more "pep" into me than to know that the people at home were awake to their civic responsibilities. While I believe that eventually we will win out, we have a hard job on our hands and graft is as much of a foe as autocracy.

There's the whole thing in a nutshell! There's the challenge to those who are or ought to be on the firing line at home. What was the response at the recent election? What will be the response at the next election?

Mistress—Susan, I understand that you walk out with a young man; I hope he is respectable?

"Oh, yes, ma'am; and he is a Frenchman, and can't speak no English."

"Then how in the world do you manage your courting, Susan?"

"Law, ma'am, isn't the kissin' and huggin' the same in every language?"

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### MOVING PICTURE FUNNIES

Cut out the pictures on all four sides. Then carefully fold dotted line 1 its entire length. Then dotted line 2, and so on. Fold each section underneath accurately. When completed turn over and you'll find a surprising result. Save the pictures.

### ROMANCE.

Old orchard crofts of Picardy,
In the high warm winds of May,
Tossed into blossomed billowings,
And spattered the roads with spray
Over the earth the scudding cloud,
And the laverock whistling high,
Lifted the drooping heart of the lad
At one bound to the sky.
France! France! and the old romance
Came over him like a spell;
Homesickness and his weariness
Shook from him then and fell;
For he was again with d'Artagnan;
And the pipes before him gleefully
Were playing airs of Pan.

Through dust that in a mist uprose
From under the tramping feet,
He saw old storied places, dim
In the blaze of the summer heat.
Menace and ambush, wounds and death,
Lurked in the ditch and wood;
But he, high breasted, walked in joy
With a glorious multitude;
Great hearts that never perish,
Nor grow old with the aches of time,
Marched through the morning with him
All in a magic clime;
But loved of all was d'Artagnan,
And Alan the kith of kings,
Fond comrades of his childhood's days,
Still on their wanderings.

From miry clefts of the wintry plain
Helenpt with his platoon,
The morion on his forehead,
And the soul of him at noon;
With head high to the hurricane
He walked and in his breast
He knew himself immortal,
And that death was but a jest.
A smile was on his visage
When they found him where he fell,
The gallant old companions,
In an amaranthine dell.
"Lad o' my heart!" cried Alan Breck,
"Well done thy first campaign!"
"Sleep thou till morn," said Artagnan
"When we three march again!"

—Nell Munroe in Blackwood's Magazine

## The State Press

If you want to see time fly sign a note due in ninety days.—Ripon Press.

Don't waste the least bit of food. That's the motto for everyone to observe and it is the proper one.—Fond du Lac Reporter.

Robert M. Lafollette was expelled from the Madison club by an unanimous vote of all directors voting because of the disloyal course he has pursued in the senate. Loyal men everywhere are refusing to associate or affiliate with him. Burned in effigy by the students of the university, denounced by the alumni of the university, and now expelled from the leading club in Madison, we wonder if it is in any way dawning upon his conceited vision that he is not wanted in Wisconsin? His place is in Germany, alongside the kaiser, whose representative he is.—Ft. Atkinson Union.

Our idea of a sensible woman is one who doesn't care how large her shoes are so long as they are comfortable.—Weyauwega Chronicle.

Ever stop to think how much time, energy and money is wasted by persistently trying to refuse to consider the other fellow's view point?—Milwaukee News.

In spite of the big prices being paid for all kinds of food products there are still millions of young men willing to work for two dollars a day provided they can wear a clean laundered collar and cuffs.—Janesville Gazette.

An exchange says the state has collected six million dollars from the inheritance within twelve years at a cost of ha this amount. It would seem as if political spoils are inheritors of what should go into the treasury.—Racine Journal.

Within a few strongly anti-administration papers politics takes precedence of patriotism. Judging from the character of some of their editorials they would welcome a disaster to our arms if it would only put the Wilson administration in a hole.—Eau Claire Telegram.

Don't grumble at the snow. Its good qualities far outweigh its bad. As an improvement to the winter highways it more than repays its cost; and as a protection to the ground guarding the winter wheat and rye and fitting the soil for tillage next spring, it is invaluable.—Wausau Record-Herald.

The news that the estate of the late Col. John Hicks of Oshkosh totals nearly a half million dollars forever estops humorous paragraphers from cracking jokes upon the poverty of country editors—unless it is assumed that Colonel Hicks' case is merely the exception that proves the rule.—Appleton Post.

There are big things coming up in congress and the people should have a chance to vote on a senator to represent Wisconsin now. Of course the governor may be peeved and all that, but the state should be entitled to representation in the upper house of congress even if the governor is not allowed to have everything his own way.—Kenosha News.

## ABE MARTIN

If ther's anything in a feller a second wife'll develop it. Confusin' thrift with stint is a pop'lar mistake these days.

## BRITISH TANK PERFORMS FOR BOYS IN AMERICAN CAMP

**British tank at Camp Upton, showing the boys how she does it.**

The American officers and men at Camp Upton, N. Y., have been able to see a British tank do all its tricks since the arrival of Captain Richard Haig with his tank and crew. The tank ducks and dives, plunges into trenches and out again and does everything in fact that it is ever called upon to do on the field of battle. This is the tank that paraded through the streets of New York in the last Liberty loan demonstration and after leaving Camp Upton it will visit many cities in the south before proceeding to Chicago. The tank is of the smaller type, known as a "female," weighs thirty-six tons and can go over anything anywhere at an average gait of four miles an hour.

## DINNER STORIES

While driving to the city one morning a short time ago Cy Pretlow met a neighboring farmer, and they paused to talk over their crops, each striving to outdo the other. Presently their conversation turned into another channel, whereupon Cy asked:

"Are you in the market for a good horse, Eb?"

"You know me, Cy. Already ready to dicker."

"Well, here's the critter. She's sound and gentle any woman can drive her. She's yours at rock bottom price."

Eb gathered up his lines preparatory to starting, at the same time replying:

"Well, Cy, I'd buy her this morning, but I hate to bust a dollar."

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House Hunter—I thought you said this house was a perfect gem.

Agent—Indeed, it is, ma'am.

"Why, the ceilings have no height at all."

That's so; they'll be easy to keep clean, ma'am."

"And the windows are dreadfully small."

"To keep the sun from fading the carpets, ma'am."

"And there is no bathroom."

"That's to save soap, ma'am."

The dominie was told by his family doctor that a glass of toddy would do him no harm. "I canna manage it," said the minister, "my housekeeper wad gossip among the church women."

"Oh, keep it in your private cupboard, and when you get your shaving water in the morning, get a little extra supply."

A month later one of the female parishioners who was calling on the housekeeper inquired as to the dominie's health.

"I'm sair afraid the meenister is losing his mind," was the answer.

"My goodness! how is that?" said the visitor.

"Well, he asks for shaving water five or six times a day."

An old colored man charged with stealing chickens was arraigned in court and was incriminating himself when the judge said:

"You ought to have a lawyer. Where's your lawyer?"

"Ah ain't got no lawyer, jedge," said the old man.

"Very well, then," said his honor, "I'll assign a lawyer to defend you."

"Oh, no, suh; no, suh! Please don't do dat!" the darkey begged.

"Why not?" asked the judge. "It won't cost you anything. Why don't you want a lawyer?"

"Well, jedge, Ah'll tell you suh," said the old man, waving his tattered old hat confidentially. "Hits dis way. Ah wan' tah enjoy dem chickens mys'f."

**Feeding Children During War Times.**

From the Mother's Magazine.

"A well balanced ration for a child should contain at least one food every day from each of the following groups," states the Food Administration. They are essential to health:

1. Milk and dishes made chiefly of milk, meat, fish, poultry, eggs and meat substitutes. This is the most important group.
2. Cereal foods and bread.
3. Wholesome fats, of which the most important is butter. Omit fried foods which are hard to digest.
4. Fruits and vegetables.
5. Simple sweets.

"Some mothers are convinced that their children will not be satisfied with any other breakfast food than their accustomed wheat preparations. If they will serve fine hominy, however, the children will be just as well fed and will probably never notice the difference.

"Fish, eggs, and poultry are good substitutes for meat in the diet of the child although very fat fish, such as salmon, mackerel and lake trout, should not be given to young children.

Plenty of fruits and vegetables are absolutely necessary.

"Do not stint the children on wholesome fats. Give them some butter if possible; if not, plenty of whole milk and eggs.

"If candy is permitted only at the end of a meal there is little danger of the child's eating more sweets than the body demands."

Don't be a SPENDER, BE A SAVER! Buy War-Savings Stamps!

## NEWS NOTES from McVIELAND

PEGGY HYLAND, English actress, who has become well known in this country as a motion picture star, has signed with the Fox company and will be starred in that company's special features. Miss Hyland came to America only eighteen months ago and immediately scored a hit in the films. She was born in Worcestershire, England, and was educated in England and in convents on the continent. The first convent she went to was that of Sercule in Verviers on the Belgian frontier.

"That was the first town the Germans entered," said Miss Hyland, "and I suppose my old school is in ruins." Miss Hyland began her career as an actress after visiting a seer who foretold great success dramatically for the little English girl. At one time she played in the support of Cyril Maude, popularly remembered for his "Grumpy" and "The Basker."

**Peggy Hyland.**

DO YOU WANT TO LEARN TO "MAKE UP"?

Since it has become known that to Mabel Collier fell the distinction of showing Mary Garden how to make up for the camera, many motion picture actresses all over the country have written Miss Garden's teacher for advice on the subject. Miss Collier is considering starting a correspondence school with regard to screen make-up. Her art can be seen applied to herself in a Triangle picture, "For Valor."

H. H. Van Loan, well known publisher and magazine writer, is back in Los Angeles returning from Hawaii on the first leg of a tour of the world. He is travelling in the interests of the film game. Marguerite Clark, Tom Meighan, Sessue Hayakawa, Theda Bara and Charlie Chaplain are the reigning favorites in the islands he declares.

Attorneys for Charlie Chaplain have been granted an injunction by Federal Judge Carpenter in Chicago restraining the Strand Feature Film company from using a counterfeit Chaplin film, pieced with cuts in which Chaplin really appeared.

Films are being employed by the department of agriculture for the purpose of teaching boys and girls the secrets of better farming. The methods of raising vegetables, corn and pigs form the first series. Results are said to be most satisfactory.

Ralph Herz, film and musical comedian, has filed a petition in bankruptcy in New York. He admits liabilities amounting to $29,806 and assets totaling at $200. Cost of costuming "Good Night, Paul," his recent failure, is included.

Florence La Badie, motion picture actress, who died Oct. 13 from effects of an automobile accident, left an estate of $500, which she made no disposal of by will. Under New York laws, the property will be divided between her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph La Badie.

**Beautiful Feet in Hartford.**

From the Hartford Courant.

We have observed that a large majority of the men who traverse our residential streets in this time of ice and snow wear overshoes of some kind and that the large majority of women do not. Whether it is woman suffrage or plain recklessness that accounts for this difference we cannot say. It cannot be because overshoes are unbecoming to a women, for those wearing them look very trim.

## CAMOUFLAGE TRICK COMPLETELY FOOLS WILSON ON CAMP VISIT

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**President Wilson and the camouflage rock.**

While on a recent visit to one of the military camps President Wilson was told by an army officer attending him that a man was hidden within ten feet of where they stood. And it was up to the president to find the missing man. A moment later the "rock" in the foreground rolled away and the man saluted, much to the president's astonishment.

# SOCIETY

### Marquart-Austin

The marriage of Miss Martha M quart, Springfield, Ohio, to L Henry Austin, N. N. V., occurre Springfield, January 1. Mr. and Austin left for a short wedding and will be at home after Februa in Washington, D. C., where Lieut Austin is stationed.

Miss Marquart attended the un city here last year and will be rem bered as the leader of prom. is a member of Kappa Alpha Ti sorority.

### Entertain for Mrs. Lathrop

Mrs. Benjamin Lathrop, Pa France, president of the Amer Fund for French Wounded, will ive in Madison tomorrow noon will be the guest of Mrs. George Comstock, Observatory hill, who give a luncheon for her at noon. the afternoon Mrs. Lathrop will lectu at the Presbyterian church at 3:30 u der the auspices of the Madison cha ter of the American Fund for Fren Wounded. The lecture is open to th public.

A reception will be held followin the lecture. Mrs. F. W. Montgomer will entertain at dinner in the evenin for Mrs. Lathrop, who will leave on night train for St. Paul.

### Gave Tea This Afternoon

Mrs. R. T. McGuire, Blied apart ments, was hostess this afternoon at t tea given in honor of Miss Catherin Brandenburg and Mrs. Ralph Kemp, formerly Miss Beulah Heddles.

### D. G. Alumnae Tea

The members of the Delta Gamma alumnae chapter were guests at a tea this afternoon at the home of Miss Catherine Allen Langdon street.

### Announce Marriage

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Church announce the marriage of their son, Clarence Church, to Miss Florence Crouch, Black Earth, which occurred Monday at Rockford, Ill. They returned to Madison the same evening and a reception and dance was given at which about forty guests were present.

### Installed Officers

The Sons and Daughters of Norway held joint installation of officers at Woodman hall last evening. Short business meetings of each of the lodges were held and following the installation light refreshments were served.

### S. G. A. Snowball Party

A snowball party for all the women of the university is being planned by S. G. A. for next Saturday night.

The exact nature of the affair is as yet shrouded as deep in mystery as the party itself will be in snow. But just it will be novel, and will give everyone the very best of good times, those who are in charge are certain.

Elizabeth Kendall has been appointed general chairman of the affair and Helen Snyder in charge of the posters. The other appointments will be announced tomorrow.

### Junior Liberty Dance

Junior dance committees have already started work on the plans for the "Liberty" dance to be held just after the spring vacation. This dance will take the place of the annual formal dance which has been given in the past by the class between semesters.

## CLUBS

### Three Links Club

"What is woman's most helpful invention?" was the question asked at roll call of the Three Links club at their meeting yesterday afternoon. The answers included safety pins, thermos bottles, egg beaters, sewing machines, and fireless cookers.

The program for the afternoon included the following numbers: a paper on "Women of Long Ago," by Mrs. William Rubb; "Looms, Ancient and Modern," by Mrs. Lizette King; "Handicaps of Our Grandmothers," by Mrs. Mary Zeidler; "The Manufacture of Silk," by Mrs. Minnie Holmes; and "Statutes That Have Been Erected to Women," by Mary Morgan; Mrs. Ella Chatterton, in colonial attire, read Whittier's, Mary Garwin, and Zekle's courtship. Lillene Doubleday closed the program with a piano solo. Luncheon was served by a committee consisting of Mrs. Ella Chatterton, chairman, the Mesdames Anna Wilson, Idaho Potter, Frances Schubert, Georgia Schwada, Sarah Tyrrell, and Louise Harloff.


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### EVENTS OF TOMORROW

**Afternoon**

Woman's society of Westminster church meets at Christ Presbyterian church at 2:30.

Mrs. Benjamin G. Lathrop, Paris, lectures at Presbyterian church at 3:30.

United Woman's club meets with Mrs. J. J. Breuch, 306 North Murray street at 3 o'clock.

Mrs. Anson's Red Cross circle meets at Lapham school.

**Evening**

Board of directors of Associated Charities meets at Presbyterian church at 5 o'clock.

Y. W. C. A. Bible class meets in cafeteria building.

Y. W. C. A. Red Cross class meets in Red Cross rooms at 7:30.

### D. A. R. Meeting

John Bell chapter, D. A. R. meets for Red Cross work and regular business in room 335, south wing of the capitol, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

### Day of Prayer

The interdenominational day of prayer for foreign missions will be observed at the First Methodist Episcopal church, Friday at 3:00 o'clock. The women of all churches are urged to attend.

### Women Wage Earners

All members and those interested in the Madison organization of Women Wage Earners will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in the auditorium of the city library.

### Girls' Civic League

All of the young girls of the city, between the ages of 14 and 21, will meet in the auditorium of the Association of Commerce this evening to formulate plans for the organization of the Girls' Civic league.

### Annual Business Meeting

The annual business meeting of the Christ Presbyterian church will be held this evening, commencing with a "cost supper" to be served by the Women's society at 6:30. Following the supper a business meeting will be held to hear the reports of the year and to elect new trustees. Trustees whose terms expire are Mrs. James B. Ramsay, Albert E. Smith, William S. Cargill, and William L. Olds.

### White Sale

The War Relief shop will be open this week end, Friday and Saturday, to hold a January white sale. Patrons are asked to donate used or unused table linens and other white goods. The proceeds will go to the relief of the Italian war refugees. Miss Amy Stevens will be in charge of the sale.

### United Woman's Club

The United Woman's club will meet tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mrs. J. J. Breuch, 306 North Murray street. As this is the regular business meeting, discussion of the work which was carried on before Christmas will be taken up again. The friendship list will be a new work to be taken up by the club and will consist in visiting and making life more cheerful for the aged, lonely, and the shut in people. The club's Christmas activities extended along this line. A regular committee will be appointed to continue this work throughout the year.

### Patriotic Club

The Madison Patriotic league will meet with Mr. H. W. Rood tomorrow evening in the D. A. R. rooms of the state capitol.

### Women's Auxiliary Meets

The women of the auxiliary of the Ancient Order to Hibernians meets this evening at 8 o'clock in the Knights of Columbus' hall for installation of officers.

## PERSONALS

Prof. W. O. Hotchkiss, College Hills, will leave this evening for Washington, D. C. to attend a meeting of the war board.

Prof. C. K. Leith of the geology department of the University, left last night for Washington, D. C.

George C. Flynn, of The Crescent Clothing company and president of the Wisconsin Retailers' association, and John Grinde of The Clothes shop left for Chicago yesterday morning to attend a meeting of the Clothiers' association.

F. D. Worthington has gone to Washington, D. C. for a short visit and business trip.

George R. Keachie, 211 South Mills street, has gone to Beloit, where he has the contract for building a number of new houses.

Mrs. John G. Salsman, 1820 West Lawn avenue, returned yesterday from Waco, Texas, from a visit with her husband, Major Salsman, and her son, John, both of whom are stationed at Camp MacArthur. Her two daughters, Mrs. John Knudson, formerly Miss Gertrude Salsman who was married at Waco on New Years' eve., and Miss Alice Salsman returned Sunday to be here in time to resume their duties as teachers.

Mrs. W. A. Marling, 21 Prospect avenue, who has been ill, is slowly improving.

James Dinneen, North Broom street, and Walter Lawrence, West Mifflin street, left Monday for Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, having recently enlisted in the aviation corps.

Miss Margaret Ritchie, North Mills street, returned Tuesday from a two weeks' visit in Appleton.

Miss Mabel J. McMurray, who was graduated from the University with the class of '15, left last night after a visit with Madison friends for Yankton, S. D., to resume her duties as head of the household art and science department of Yankton college.

Mrs. Sheridan B. Frye, New York city, formerly Miss Lillian Anderson, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. L. T. Jerdee, South Dickinson street.

Mrs. Joseph C. Ford, Norris court, is in Chicago as the guest of Mrs. Ralph Merril.

Mrs. Ralph Kemp, formerly Miss Beulah Heddles, arrived last night from Tipton, Ind., to be the guest of her mother, Mrs. W. S. Heddles, Langdon street, until after the Brandenburg-Bassett wedding, which occurs January 14.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sullivan, former residents of Madison, who moved to Chicago about two months ago, left for Los Angeles, Cal., last week, for the benefit of Mrs. Sullivan's health. Mr. Sullivan is baggageman on the Northwestern road, having a run out of Chicago.

Mrs. Sullivan was in Madison last Friday to attend to business matters before leaving for the West. She is a cousin of Miss Mary C. Sullivan, 341 West Mifflin street, and the mother of William C. Sullivan, who is employed at the Gallagher Tent company.

Miss Mary Sullivan, 341 West Mifflin street, and her sister, Mrs. W. T. Carroll and two daughters, Mary and Elizabeth, of Chicago have just returned from a holiday visit at the Carroll farm near Waukesha. Mrs. Carroll and daughters were called to Madison just before Christmas by the sickness and death of John Sullivan. They will remain here for a protracted visit.

Little Elizabeth Murphy, the 10-year-old daughter of Mrs. Lawrence B. Murphy. Randall apartments, who has been confined in the city contagious hospital with a slight attack of scarlet fever, is able to be at home again. She will not return to school until about the last of the month.

Mrs. S. T. Walker, Rowley avenue, is confined to her home with illness.

## High School Notes

By Clarence M. Williams

Orian I. Dhein, manual training teacher of the high school, who enlisted in the aviation corps, and who now is in training in Austin, Tex., was granted a leave of absence by the school board.

Miss Cooper announced that the pictures for the play Eagerheart may be secured from her for 25 cents.

The school board upon the recommendation of Principal Voyta Wrabetz granted him the permission of starting school at 12:40 in the afternoon instead of 1:20 for those who have a recitation the fifth period. Pupils, however, must first get the permission of their parents before they will be allowed to enjoy this privilege which will close school 30 minutes earlier. The new rule will give the students ample time to work after school and do patriotic work. It will also be a great help to the teachers as well as conserve heat and light. The only objection to it is that it will give the the boys who are not working more time to play in pool halls. The principal will order the boys to stay away from those places.

The social committee meets tonight in room 216 to discuss with Miss Moseley whether or not they should schedule the proposed Hoover Hard Time party for this Friday.

Thomas Coxon has just brought in a new Tycobrahn box of unique design which is to replace the small one which is objectionable for several reasons.

### JUDGE HOPPMANN AWAY.

Superior Judge A. C. Hoppmann is out of the city on business.

### WOLFE BACK IN CITY

United States District Attorney A. C. Wolfe, who spent Sunday with his family at La Crosse, has returned to Madison.


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## Household Hints

### MENU HINT

**Breakfast**

Broiled Mackerel
Small Baked Potatoes
Nut Margarine
Toast Coffee

**Lunch**

Cheese Cream Toast
Spinach Salad (left over)
Buttermilk Gingerbread
Tea

**Dinner**

Kidney Bean Stew
Lettuce Salad
Whole Wheat Bread, Nut Margarine
Apple Sauce One-Egg Cake
Tea

### GOOD MEAT DINNER AT SMALL COST

Purchase six veal kidneys covered with suet. Remove the suet and save a cupful for pudding; mix balance with lard or meat drippings. Feed scraps to chickens.

A delicious stew made of the kidneys: Parboil; remove membranes from kidneys; cut in slices, roll in flour and fry in their own fat until brown, adding a large onion sliced. When nicely browned, add enough water to cover and two or three potatoes and carrots diced. When kidneys are tender, thicken with a little flour and water. Other vegetables may be added if liked. This serves six people generously.

For the pudding use one cup suet run through food chopper, one cup water and milk mixed, two cups seeded raisins, one cup molasses, two cups graham flour, one teaspoon each of soda, cloves, cinnamon and nutmeg. Steam two hours. Serve with the following sauce; two cups water, one cup sugar; when boiling stir in one tablespoon cornstarch wet with cold water and one teaspoon of butter. Flavor with vanilla or any other flavor preferred.

### "MAKE-BELIEVE" DISHES

Veal Birds—A very good substitute for chicken. Take two pounds veal steak; cut in strips. Have dressing prepared same as to stuff chicken. Roll dressing in strips of veal and pin together with toothpicks. Place in covered roaster, season and add just enough butter and water to start cooking. Should be thoroughly cooked in one hour. Very fine.

Mock Duck—Take a round or flank beefsteak. Salt and pepper both sides. Make stuffing of scraps of bread, crumbled fine, pepper, salt, butter half as large as an egg and one egg. Place stuffing on meat, roll up and sew together. Put in roaster and roast one hour.

Mock Turkey—Take pork chops according to number to be served. Use four for family of two. Make a turkey dressing: Lay half of chops in roaster. Put dressing on chops in pan, lay balance of chops on top. Now tie together each pair of chops. Put in enough water so they can bake and not burn. Bake slowly till brown. Cut and pull out string. Cut in slices and serve hot.

### THINGS WORTH KNOWING

To prevent very fine china or cut glass from chipping while being washed, put on old Turkish towel in the buttom of dishpan.

To toast a number of slices of bread quickly, take grate from the oven and place it on the hot stove. On this ten slices can be toasted at one time, which is quite a saving of time and work.

Match Saver—A piece of umbrella stave about one foot long and large enough to hold a burnt match. Insert the burnt match in the end that has been cut off. Save your burnt matches for this purpose.

### FOR COLD NIGHTS

Bricks, when heated and wrapped in newspapers, will keep warm longer than irons and one brick will keep both feet warm. Most poor folks can't afford hot water bottles and electric pads, but almost everybody can get bricks.

## Heart and Beauty Problems

BY MRS. ELIZABETH THOMPSON

Dear Mrs. Thompson: (1) I am a girl of sixteen years of age and I graduated from high school last June. I had my chance either to go to work or keep on with school, and I chose work. I am now working in a factory and really my mind seems to be getting more corrupt every day because all I hear among the girls is bad jokes and swearing. What would you do if you were me?

(2) I am considered quite good looking and a good dresser, but it seems as if I can't get a fellow I like. I think that all that ails me is that I am fickle, don't you?

(3) I have a green coat and I got some ice cream on it. What can I do to take it off?

DOTTIE DIMPLES.

(1) Instead of allowing the corruption around you to get the best of you, you ought to be trying to help reform the other girls. Be kind and sympathetic to them, but don't be goody-goody. Don't laugh at their jokes and don't participate in the swearing, but when one of the girls uses vulgar language to you, answer her in nice, polite, good English, and soon the girls will all be imitating you and trying to copy your manners.

If you find, however, that your own character is not strong enough to withstand the corruption and if you cannot seem to improve the general atmosphere, but that it is showing on you, the best thing you can do is to hunt another job—one in better company and where the influence will be good. It seems to me, though, that you can do a lot of good work among these girls and you ought to try.

(2) Perhaps you are not fickle, but just a little particular and hard to please. You are quite young to be going with boys and so don't try yet to pick one out as a possible future husband, but learn to like the good in all the boys and dislike the bad. There are lots of nice young men and you will eventually meet some you like.

(3) There are a number of good cleaning fluids on the market and for greasy spots like those left by ice cream you can get a small bottle of a cleaner which will take out the spot. Rub the spot with a clean cleaner.

Dear Mrs. Thompson: I am a young girl of sixteen and I am interested in a certain young man whom I met when I was thirteen years old. The young man was at that time seventeen years old. We were steady companions while he was here, but he went away in 1915 and corresponded with me for a month, and I haven't heard from him since." Instead of forgetting him I cannot get him off my mind an hour in the day. Please advise me.

AWFULLY GRATEFUL.

You will have to get him off your mind, because evidently he has forgotten you—both of you were such children that you couldn't expect him to think of you seriously.

You mustn' cling to the past, because if you do you let many beautiful things of the present slip by without even being noticed. A girl of sixteen is too young to meet her Prince Charming. In a few years, unless you are asleep dreaming about the past, you will meet someone you care much more for than your childhood friend.

Go places with girls and have a good time. When you are a little older and have more boy friends I think it will be easy for you to forget.

The only thing that helps one to forget something that is unpleasant is an invincible determination to do so. Put the boy out of your mind every time he enters it. Force yourself to think of something else.

### DREW OPENS OFFICE

Former Assistant Attorney General Walter Drew, who left the state office upon the elevation of Walter C. Owen to the state bench, will open local private law offices in the Merchants' & Savings bank building. He will also maintain offices in Milwaukee.

### JUDGE ROSA HERE

Judge Charles D. Rosa of Beloit is here on business today.

# WHITTET TELLS OF STATE AID IN WAR WORK

## Speaker of Assembly Addresses Janesville Audience on Accomplishments

## TASK OF GOVERNOR

### Gives Views on Germans and Tells of Cost of Service Given

JANESVILLE, Wis., Jan. 9.—Speaker Lawrence C. Whittet of the Wisconsin assembly spoke before the Twilight Club last night, in which he reviewed the activities of Wisconsin during the war:

"I think I am violating no trust when I relate a few of the situations that confronted the governor at the time of the recent draft" he said. "From Milwaukee came the statement that there was decided opposition to the draft, and that bloodshed would surely follow if state militia was not present to quell the disturbances that were sure to arise. Governor Philipp personally investigated conditions and was unable to find anything to substantiate the charges that had been made. He refused to send militia. The result is too well known for me to make any comment here. It is represented to us that the only disturbance that occurred in Wisconsin on registration day was a fight in Milwaukee between two men to see which one would register first.

**Stories of Milwaukee**

After the draft was completed stories continued to come to the executive office relative to unfriendly conditions in various parts of the state. A delegation of prominent citizens waited upon the governor and represented that there were five thousand German reservists under arms in the city of Milwaukee; that ten thousand rifles had been sold by a single hardware firm in the city of Milwaukee; that the reservists were traning nightly in one of the tanneries in Milwaukee that it was their intention to poison the water supply of the city and blow up the city water works.

"The charges were indeed serious. The governor asked for more specific information. Unable to get it, he decided to have an investigation made. He was unable to substantiate the statement that the body of reservists existed in Milwaukee. He sent an accountant and a detective to the hardware firm mentioned to ascertain whether it was true that they had furnished the rifles. The books of the firm were thrown open and it was disclosed that the firm had sold less than one hundred guns of all descriptions during the past year period.

**Other Stories Current**

"The statement that a tannery was used for training purposes proved likewise to be false. In the stress of business one floor of the tannery was being operated at night in the curing of hides.

"A guard was placed at the city water works and up to this time no attempt has been made to either poison the water or blow up the water works plant.

"It has required a cool head and a steady hand to guide the ship of state through these troublous times.

Wisconsin's rapid mobilization of her national guard, the recruiting to war strength of 16,000, and the equipment by the state of every soldier was described.

**Visit To Waco.**

"At this time," he said, "when the press is teeming with the disclosures made before the investigating committee of Congress upon war conditions," he said, "it is interesting to know that when Wisconsin sent her troops from Camp Douglas to Camp MacArthur, Waco, Texas, that every volunteer soldier was fully equipped—not by federal authorities, but by the state itself. Every soldier wore a khaki uniform, all had received shoes, campaign hats, leggings, woolen shirts and blankets; every soldier had a modern gun, his own mess kit and every company had its own mess outfit, its tents and so forth. Wisconsin sent her boys away fully equipped in every particular.

"A short time ago it was my personal privilege to visit Camp MacArthur at Waco, Texas. I found our boys in the best of health—with not a word of criticism or objection. All were happy and satisfied. Camp conditions were ideal. In a report which Colonel John J. Bradley of the Washington War College made to his superiors at Washington, he states that his inspection shows the 32nd division, located at Camp MacArthur, to be the best trained division in all the camps. He also reported upon the excellent health conditions of the camp and praised its location and surroundings. Camp MacArthur has had the lowest percentage of sickness of any of the southern cantonments. This is due in a large measure to a Wisconsin man, Colonel Gilbert Seaman, and the Wisconsin fathers and mothers can indeed feel satisfied and contented that their boys are in charge of the competent and magnificent officials who are in control of Camp MacArthur.

**Work of Seaman.**

"Not only has Colonel Seaman kept the sanitary conditions of Camp MacArthur perfect, but his authority has gone out to the city of Waco, a city of some forty thousand population. Colonel Seaman inspected every restaurant and eating house in the city. Improvement in sanitary conditions were demanded in practically every one. In some of the worst cases he placed a guard before the door of the eating house and would not permit any soldier to enter. One can readily realize what this meant. It necessitated either the cleaning up and perfecting conditions or locking the door."

Further facts given by Mr. Whittet from state and national records were:

That Wisconsin has expended $730,000 for war purposes since 1916, advancing the money to the government out of its general fund.

That compared with the general percentage of men failing to respond to the draft in the United States of 8.2 per cent, Wisconsin is under 2 per cent.

That Wisconsin leads all middle western states for volunteer enlistments.

Referring to the liberty loans, he showed that Wisconsin led its sister middle west states with a subscription of 155 per cent of its minimum quota.

**Work of Red Cross.**

"Kenosha County," he said, "was the banner county, subscribing 228.8 per cent of its maximum quota based on a five billion dollar issue. Milwaukee County subscribed 181.5 per cent; Racine County 127 per cent; Dane County 110 per cent; Washington County 105.7 per cent; and Outagamie County 102.4 per cent. Rock County subscribed $2,299,650.00 from a minimum quota of $1,868,200.00 or 189 per cent.

"The bankers, however, are not alone in the war activities of this state. Many public spirited organizations are doing their bit, chief among which are the Red Cross, the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the Knights of Columbus, the Rotary Clubs, and many other organizations. I have been unable to obtain complete figures as to what these organizations have done in the state. I am giving you the following information, which I trust will be of interest:

"The Red Cross has raised approximately $1,000,000; the Y. M. C. A. $1,015,000; the Y. W. C. A. $65,000; the Knights of Columbus $125,000; the rotary clubs $50,000 and other organizations $100,000.

"Or there has been raised, including the two liberty loans of $36,236,750.00 and $78,281,850.00, a total of $116,823,100.00 in the state.

"In this connection it may be of interest to note what one of the state institutions has done, the state prison at Waupun. The prisoners subscribed to the first Liberty Loan $4,950.00; to the second Liberty Loan $1,850.00; to the Red Cross $720.85. In doing its part of the war work this institution last year operated 1,700 acres of farm land. They put up 10,000 gallon cans of canned goods. Enough sugar beets were grown to give to the institution 28,000 pounds of sugar; 45,000 heads of cabbage were raised, as well as 5,000 bushels of potatoes. Many other farm crops were raised. The earnings from the prisoners working in road groups amounted to about $20,900.00. The prison twine plant showed a profit of $152,494.14.

**Place of Labor.**

"The department of agriculture has proven to be a valuable aid in assisting the farmers of our state in not only procuring seed but likewise in furnishing information as to the crops which should be raised.

"In mentioning the part Wisconsin has played in the present war crisis, I must not overlook the important place which labor has taken. There have been practically no labor disturbances within the state, and labor of every character is entitled to the highest word of commendation.

"It is not to be wondered at that in a state of three million people there is to be found men who are not wholly in sympathy with the objects of the war, and if I may, I wish to say a word here for the German citizenship.

**Speaks of Germans.**

"I have the highest respect and the highest regard for them. My father was born in Scotland, and I have the kindliest feelings for Scotland, and in any controversy in which that country might be engaged with other nations, aside from our own, my sympathies would undoubtedly be with Scotland. It is not to be wondered at that prior to a declaration of war our citizenship of Teutonic blood should have had kindly feelings for the Fatherland. They would not be human if they did not. I ask, what higher tribute can be paid to this German citizenship than to note that forty-five per cent of our volunteers enlisted guard was of Teutonic blood. A man whose father or forefathers came from Germany is laboring under a double burden. Difficult as it has been for him to sever the ties of the fatherland he has done it, and he it to his praise, is unreservedly and unqualifiedly, in most instances supporting our federal government in this national crisis. I have no patience with a man whose whole heart is not for his country. Should there be those who are without sympathy, let us punish them as they should be, but let us not condemn a class or mass unwarrantedly. Let us remember that we can lead where we cannot drive."

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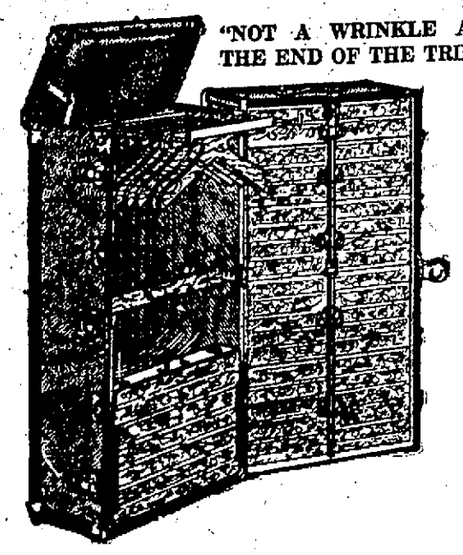

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## Vesper Declares We Lose More Than Government Needs in War

## LOSE 361,000,000 GALLONS

### Estimated Needs for U. S. Are 350,000,000 Gallons in 1918

ST. LOUIS, Mo., January 8.—Wastage and leakage of gasoline in the United States in 1917 was 11,000,000 gallons more than the total number of gallons the government estimates as the need for war purposes in an equal length of time.

This was told to the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, by F. A. Vesper, president of an automobile concern of this city.

Mr. Vesper placed the total amount of gasoline wasted in the United States at 361,000,000 gallons. The governments estimated need for 1918 are 350,000,000 gallons.

Mr. Vesper, who was one of a number of automobile dealers who recently discussed motor conservation plans with members of the War Economy Board at Washington ridiculed the idea that there is a shortage of gasoline. He said that dealers, garage men and a great many automobile owners are practicing the strictest economy, and that the continuance of this practice will assure a plentiful supply.

## WOULD ORGANIZE VIGILANCE CORPS

### Defense Society Asks Mayor Sayle to Name Committee

The American Defense society is appealing to all mayors of cities of the country to aid in the formation of a committee which is to undertake the organization of a vigilance corps. The object of such an organization is to detect and sequester all disloyal Americans, pacifists and pro-Germans.

"In this country there are several million aliens representing Germany, Austria, Bulgaria and Turkey, every one of whom is a possible enemy," writes the field secretary of the defense society, which has its national headquarters at New York.

According to the field secretary he has written to Mayor Sayle suggesting a plan "for organizing a vigilance corps whose duty it shall be to cooperate with the government in running down every person suspected of disloyalty, and of collecting as much information as possible to place at the disposal of the government as soon as it shall be called for."

War-Savings Stamps are Worth Self-Sacrifice.

# Wisconsin Defeats Iowa---Hockey Season Starts On Rink Open To City

## BADGERS IMPROVE; BEAT IOWA 36-22

### Captain Chandler Carries Team to First Victory

### SHORT PASSES DO WORK

### Slightly Varied Attack is Successful Against Hawkeyes

IOWA CITY, Ia., Jan. 9.—Led by Captain Bill Chandler who scored four field goals and six free throws, the Badger basketball team dashed through the Iowa five for a victory here Tuesday night by a score of 36 to 22.

Considerable improvement was shown by the Badgers in this consolation match to settle the title of which team was the worst at the beginning of the season, and it looks as though Iowa would have a hard time in the return game which will be played on the Wisconsin gymnasium floor Saturday night.

Eber Simpson was Chandler's right-hand man, and besides feeding him the ball, and doing a great deal of heavy offensive, Eber managed to cage five baskets. Maisel, whom Lowman found to be a man of judgment and agility when he sent him in as a substitute in the Northwestern game, made four field goals, and this trip of Wisconsin leaders did all the scoring for the Cardinal.

For Iowa, Berrien, Von Lackum, and Brown starred, Berrien making four, Von Lackum two, and Brown one apiece. It was a hot and fast game, and was featured by plenty of rough stuff. At the end of the first half Wisconsin was in the lead by a score of 23 to 9, but Coach Kent of the Hawkeye team managed to break up the short passing game that Wisconsin found itself using, and the game was even during the second half, each team making thirteen points.

The lineup and summary:

| Iowa— | | Wisconsin |
|---|---|---|
| Berrien | RF | Maisel |
| Olson | LF | Zulfer |
| Pyles | C | Chandler |
| Von Lakum | RG | Simpson |
| Brown | LG | Swenson |

Substitutions — Pease for Zulfer; Bawer for Pease; Spengler for Maisel; Birch for Simpson; Brightam for Pyles.

Field baskets—Simpson 5; Maisel 4; Chandler 4; Berrien 4; Von Lakum 2; Brown.

Fouls baskets—Chandler 6 out of 8; Von Lakum 7 out of 17.

Referee—Birch of Earlham.

Time of periods 20 minutes.

## ONE BIG TEN STAR PLAYS WITH JACKIES

### Great Lakes Five to be Built for Team Work Not Individuals

GREAT LAKES, Ill., Jan. 9.—That team work and not the presence of individual stars is the predominating factor in the success of athletic teams again is being demonstrated at the Great Lakes Naval Training station, where a basketball quintet has been selected from the 26,000 men in training for sea duty. A glance at the line-up shows that only one "Big Ten" tosser is on the squad. He is Felmey, who performed with the university of Illinois for the last two seasons.

Coveny of the Detroit Rayls, independent champions of Michigan for the 1916-17 season, is the free lance star, but outside of this pair the team is made up of athletes from teams which, to the close follower of the A. A. U. and university teams appears to be in the minor section.

Ayers, who has been showing at center in the tars' early games, comes from North East High of Kansas City, Mo. He is a strong floor man and possesses a sharp eye for the hoop, which has won him plenty of consideration from Coach Olcott.

Harold Erickson, the right guard, hails from St. Olaf college, Northfield, Minn. Several critics picked him as an honorary man on several of the state minor college selections last season.

One of the most prominent actors at forward is McColley, of Washington University, St. Louis. He "hugs" the net because of his accuracy on bank shots. Red Dahl, Ayer's rival for the pivot post, learned to play at Pierre, S. D. During his prep days he was picked on several all-state inter-scholastic teams.

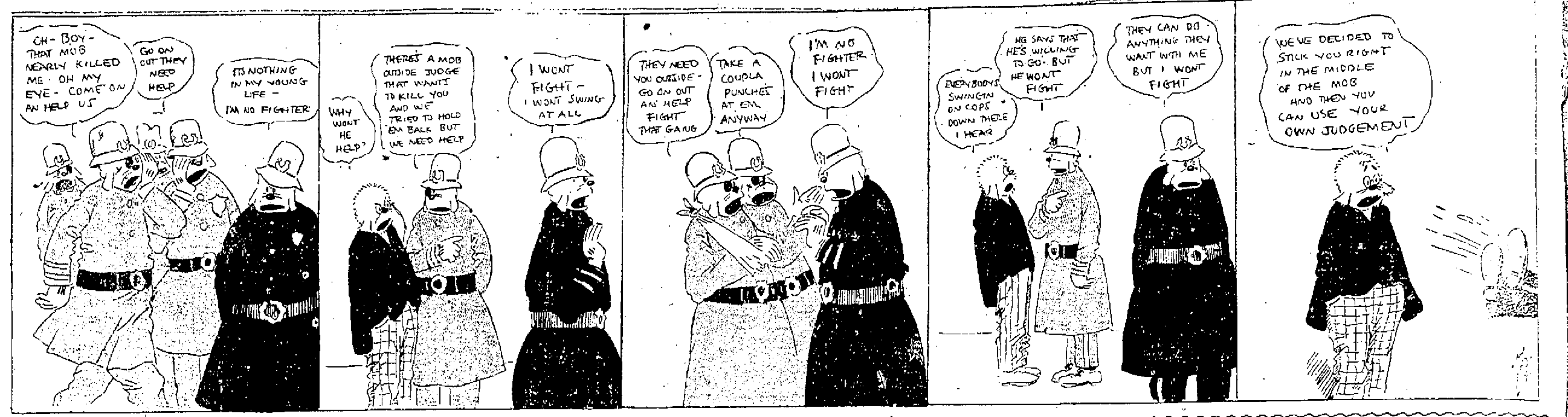
E. S. Leavenworth, an Olivet, Mich., college man, promises to make the regulars step when he attains his form. He is now a slow starter and for that reason has not been appearing in the early games. He possesses all the requisites of a crafty floor man. William Ripperton, a North Dakota product seems certain to remain on the squad. He is a trifle light, but is one of the aggressive sort that do not require much poundage.

Chicago has two men on the squad in Jack Gruppel of the Chicago Hebrew Institute, and Cyril Ward, one of the basketball lights of Evanston. Both are certain to count many points for the jackies five.

When William Johnson is released from the detention or "rookies" camp, Coach Olcott will have one of the best forwards in the country. Johnson has been one of the stars of the Illinois A. C. team of Chicago which last year landed the National A. A. U. championship.

Stanley (Lefty) Baumgartner, former Philadelphia National league pitcher, who coached the Delaware college football team the past season, has been retained by the athletic council to also coach basketball and baseball.

## "NOTHING COULD BE FAIRER THAN THAT" - - - - - - - - - - By TAD




## DUTY OF ATHLETICS TO WIN WAR AND SAVE MANHOOD OF NATION

### Dr. Sargent of Harvard Tells What Large Number of Rejected Men Means to U. S.

In an article on "The Rejected Army of Understandard Men," Dr. D. A. Sargent of Harvard University tells in "Association Men," just what the great percentage of rejected men means to the nation at war and at peace and makes a vigorous appeal for more and better athletics.

"The Adjutant General's report of 1916 shows that about 80 per cent of all applicants for military service were rejected and 20 per cent accepted," says Dr. Sargent. "It is estimated that over 1,000,000 of the men rejected were incapacitated by preventable diseases and that 500,000 or more of these men may be reclaimed.

"In as much as a large percentage of these men are disqualified by venereal diseases, alcoholism, excessive use of tobacco and disorders attributable to bad habits of living, it seems to me an excellent opportunity for the Christian Associations to render a great practical service to the community in trying to prevent these social diseases.

"It is doubtful if many young people have ever been deterred from the indulgence of their appetites and passions by fear of punishment and in too many instances penitance and prayer have only served to ease a man's conscience as to the consequence of sin from which very often there is no recovery.

"The desire of sex and for stimulants and for narcotics are as old as human nature itself, really anticipating the appearance of Adam and Eve in the Garden of Eden.

"The organic cravings back of these appetites and passions are the motor forces that make for progress and civilization.

"In the opinion of thinking men there is no safe or better outlet for the feelings and emotions than some form of muscular activity. All forms of labor that bring large groups of muscles into use, and are not too heavy and monotonous to deaden the sensibilities may serve this purpose. But the division of labor in our modern industrial system makes it possible to earn a livelihood by the employment of a very few muscles and faculties, so that most young people are compelled to look else where for the emotional outlet that is necessary to keep them in good health.

"Here is where the well-equipped gymnasium, and the recreation halls and athletic fields furnished by every up-to-date school, college and Christian Association, are doing a grand service for our young people of both sexes.

"Let the good work go on!. The sensible people of the country will not be long in discovering that the best way to combat an evil is not by attempted eradication or extirpation, but by putting something better in its place. That "something better" is a system of well regulated gymnastics and wholesome amusements supplemented by various plays, contests and athletic sports and games. This is what our boys and girls need."

## TENER ENDORSES "KNOTHOLE GANG"

### N. L. President Recognizes Youthful Fence Patrons

One of the sidelights of the recent National league meeting was an endorsement by President Tener of the so-called "Knothole Gang" idea put in operation by the St. Louis Cardinals last season, by which each of the 1,500 stockholders of the club turned over his pass for use of small boys organized into "gangs," the passes being issued to boys as rewards for good work in school, etc. During the season more than 20,000 boys thus saw the Cardinals play free of charge.

There was some question as to how an arrangement could be made with the visiting clubs for payment on these passes, but the other National league owners took a liberal view and the regulations regarding passes were stretched for the benefit of the boys.

It was in touching on this that President Tener gave his endorsement to the St. Louis plan and suggested that it might well be copied by other clubs. He told of the drilling the lads of St. Louis were given, how they were taught to boost a good play for the visiting team just as much as for the home team and how the rule was impressed on them that knocking has no part in a ball game. The theory inculcated into the boys was that the game's the thing and that the winning or losing is only an incident, so long as the contending athletes contend with good spirit and clean methods.

Mr. Tener emphasized this feature and expressed the conviction that it creates higher standard of sportsmanship among the youthful fans that is bound to mould their opinions as they grow into men.

While the war tax on passes complicates the operation of the St. Louis idea somewhat it is the hope that some way will be found to continue it in operation in the Mound City and that it also will be tried out by other clubs, some of which already have in a limited way encouraged attendance of the boy fans by opening their gates to them under certain conditions or on certain days.

### PURDUE AND INDIANA BREAK ALL RELATIONS

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Jan. 9.—At the request of Athletic Director E. O. Stiehm of Indiana, Purdue athletic authorities have broken off basketball, baseball, track and wrestling relations with Indiana. In place of the two basketball games scheduled with Indiana, Purdue will play the Great Lakes Training station team and De-Pauw.

## CAMOUFLAGE AND GET THE DUCKS

### Suggested That Use of French Artifice May be Used by Hunters

If the duck hunters and fishermen of Western waters take the trouble to "wiseup" on the new art of "camouflage" their chances will be good to net the limit the law allows during the 1918 fish and game season. Just now "camouflage" is being practiced chiefly to fool the German submarine, and it is doing this work so effectively, that the new art promises to come into general use after the war is over.

A feature of the Fourteenth Annual Motor Boat Show to be staged at Grand Central Palace, New York, the week of January 19th to 26th, will be demonstrations of how "camouflage" is applied to the motor patrol boats now employed in the protection of American coasts and in the pursuit of submarines in foreign waters. This style of "camouflage" consists of daubing queer formations of colors over the boats in such designs that the boat, at a very short distance, becomes invisible and merges itself with the waves and ripples of the sea. The motor boat show is staged under the auspices of the National Association of Engine & Boat Manufacturers of New York, the organization representing the national trade interests and this year the exhibition will be of a naval and military tang.

## BADGERS HAVE NO GAME WITH JACKIES

While the Great Lakes Naval Training station basketball team has arranged games with many of the Conference teams, it has not yet scheduled a contest with the University of Wisconsin five, and is not likely to succeed in getting one during the playing season of the Conference race.

The Badger schedule is too full to allow any more games, but as it comes to an end on Mar. 15, there is a possibility that a game with Great Lakes will be arranged after that date. There is also a possibility of the Wisconsin five playing a team from Camp Grant at the end of the Big Ten season.

Russell Blackburn, did his best work of his baseball career at third base for Toronto last season, but it is the plan of Manager Mathewson of the Cincinnati Reds to play him at short. Groh, of course will be left at third and Dave Shean is the favorite for second base.

## HIGH SCHOOL FIVE SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

### Beats Substitutes 60-16 on Monday; Hopes to Beat Stoughton

The Madison high school basketball team last night came back with vengeance upon the sub-team, walloping it 60 to 16. The expert playing of Matthewison and Gunderson brought renewed courage and hope among the high school basketball fans. The team, if it continues the good playing of last night, will surely pull over a victory on the "Hub City" boys Friday, Jan. 11.

The four veterans, Tauchen, Gunderson, Matthewison and Tennoy, showed expert ability in making baskets and centered the scene of action around the opponents' goal. Gill, Danson, Brumm and Jaquish are fiercely contending for places on the team.

The team will leave Madison at 4 o'clock Friday and probably will stay in Stoughton over night. A great number of students have announced their intention of accompanying the team.

## EAGAN AND DOWNEY BATTLE TONIGHT

### Money Is About Evenly Divided on Pair of Welters

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 9.—It will be a case of close your eyes and take your pick when Joe Eagan and Bryan Downey meet in their ten round scrap at the Auditorium on Wednesday night. The two leading welters who are going to draw the biggest house in Milwaukee since the Leonard-Mitchell battle are primed for a good battle, and their previous fights indicate that Wednesday night's scrap will be a real one.

Eagan may have a little the shade in the betting, but not much. Downey, who was only meidocre when he was boxing the lightweights, has suddenly developed into a star since joining the welterweights ranks, and under the skillful piloting of Tom Jones has reached the top of the heap. He has battled all the first class welters with the exception of Eagan and Ted Lewis, and if he is successful against Eagan, he will demand a match with Lewis.

## Football and War

We like the spirit and admire the sentiments that inspired Bob Dunbar of the Boston Journal when he wrote the following lines on the subject of athletics during the war. We cannot but feel that Mr. Dunbar's is a peculiarly sane and redblooded stand in these days of backing and filling, of doubt and apprhension concerning the place of athletics to maintain a nation at fighting pitch. We quote:—

"Here and there we hear remarks to the effect that football in the colleges and other sports would be 'in bad taste' while the world war is still taking toll of young men's lives. Anybody who feels that way about it need not and should not participate or assist in such sports. But we protest against the adoption of that sentiment as a formula.

"War is a terrible thing, but is not the worst thing in the world. 'There are worse things waiting for men than death.' In peace times we have poverty, but football was played; we had disease, but there was rowing on the river; we had crime, but the Harvard-Yale baseball series was not abandoned: we had underfeeding and overfeeding, prostitution, both of the body and of the soul; we had neglect and maltreatment of little children and animals; we had hideous slums and over population of them; we had one man working hard all the week to earn a bare living, and another man paid $1,000 a day for doing nothing; we had political corruption, alcoholism, the drug evil, special privilege, and social snobbery, all without any adverse effect upon intercollegiate athletics.

"We never knew a soldier back from the wars who was sorry that he had been a soldier. We believe that the men who go to France are to be congratulated rather than pitied, except, of course, certain special cases. It is wonderfully better to live in a trench than in a sweatshop, better to be blown up on a battleship than in a boiler room. The hideousness of war is paralleled by the horrors of peace, and the appeal to taste for the final argument against manly sport is, in short, something that we simply cannot see.—Outing.

## REGENTS TO FORM U. W. SPORT POLICY

### Meet Next Week to Appoint Football Coach for Next Fall

The athletic policy of the University of Wisconsin for the next year and probably for the remainder of the war will in all probability be decided upon at the first 1918 meeting of the Board of Regents next Wednesday.

One of the chief problems ahead of the board is the appointment of a football coach for next fall's team, and it is likely that if the appointment is made, which will mean Wisconsin will continue in her policy of intercollegiate athletics during the war, that John R. Richards, who led the Badger team during the 1917 season will receive a re-appointment. It is also likely that he may be appointed for more than one year, for he is known to be in favor of establishing a definite policy in the football coaching system of the university and an appointment for a long period would give him this opportunity.

## UNIVERSITY'S BIG ICE RINK ON LAKE MENDOTA OPEN TO PUBLIC

### Varsity Hockey Team Soon to See Action and Has Games Promised With Many Teams

As soon as the large University of Wisconsin ice skating rink on Lake Mendota behind the gymnasium is cleared off, which will probably be within the next day or two, not only university students, but all men and women of Madison may be able to enjoy this popular winter sport at the maximum of pleasure.

The university will permit its rink to be used by city people, and will try to make it a most perfect place for the enjoyment of skating and hockey. It is now all covered with snow, but all laid out and built up, and it will only require scraping and sprinkling to take off a rough freeze to put it in the very best of shape. It froze rather rough, but as soon as the snow is off, it will be watered by the university authorities, and if the present weather continues, it will not be long before it will be one of the finest skating rinks ever used by Madison people.

The rink measures 325 by 225 feet and at the west end there is a hockey field where the varsity hockey team will soon be in action under the direction of Coach Steinhauer. There is a warm dressing room on the lake side the rink with plenty of room for keeping warm and changing shoes. The hockey field was placed at one end and the rink made much larger this year because it was found inconvenient to have the playing field in the center of the rink as was the case last season.

Skating will be one of the most popular sports in the university this winter, for the university is going to grant regular gymnasium credit for skating, and regular ice classes will be held on Lake Mendota instead of on the apparatus in the gym. This departure is sure to prove very popular with the students, for it will give the first and second year men who have to take gymnastic work an opportunity to indulge in one of their favorite sports and get their credit at the same time.

### Big Year for Hockey.

The varsity hockey team will see the biggest year since it was organized if the weather remains good for the ice game. There is a good squad of players who have seen considerable experience on the ice and who will report to Coach Steinhauer for the first call which is likely to come during the present week. E. L. Moran, star of lastyear's septette is organizing the team and has a number of veterans lined up already. The list includes Stansbury, Fee, Dohr, and Sturtevant of last year's team who will form the nucleus of the 1918 squad.

A fine list of dates is in prospect. Negotiations are already under way and have progressed very favorably for hockey games with Culver, down on the latter's rink; with St. John's Military academy at either Madison or Delafield; two games with Northwestern university dental college, one in Chicago and one in Madison; and if an inter-fraternity league can be organized at the university, a star team will be picked from it to play a like organization up at Minnesota with a picked Gopher team. There will also probably be a game with one of the Milwaukee amateur teams.

### Tuesday's Sports

Harry Carlson of Brockton was awarded a technical knockout over Stanley Yoakum of Denver in the tenth round at Boston.

Charley Herzog, captain of the New York Giants, was traded to the Boston Nationals for Larry Doyle and Pitcher Jesse Barnes.

Negotiations for the sale of Roger Hornsby, shortstop of the St. Louis Nationals, to the Chicago Nationals were declared to be at an end, at Cincinnati.

## STRIKES and SPARES

Helping her team to win two games over the Jupiters, Miss Ida Scherer of the Mercuries went over the top with the highest score of the season in the Ladies' Star bowling league Tuesday night, making a count of 201.

Several Statehouse leaguers got their names on the honor roll in Tuesday night's matches. Rickert rolled 204 and Thompson 203. Scheibel gave the Americans an awful blow when he hit the 200 mark, but the real stars of the evening were Anderson with 82, Haugen with 93, Atwood with 95, and Trumbower with 97.

### Park League

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Mad. Pure Food—** | | | |
| Hammersley | 122 | 145 | 145 |
| Phelps | 130 | 112 | 117 |
| Donson | 183 | 144 | 182 |
| Seibel | 156 | 168 | 149 |
| Rund | 122 | 202 | 155 |
| Totals | 713 | 771 | 748 |
| **International Harvester Co.—** | | | |
| Packman | 153 | 212 | 145 |
| St. Peter | 177 | 147 | 154 |
| Schillinger | 130 | 145 | 159 |
| Moery | 127 | 133 | 128 |
| Schreiber | 136 | 180 | 157 |
| Totals | 723 | 817 | 743 |
| **Lunch Wagon—** | | | |
| Burmeister | 136 | 147 | 150 |
| Quinn | 168 | 124 | 146 |
| Linde | 137 | 141 | 156 |
| Zuickey | 161 | 169 | 148 |
| Kenison | 174 | 168 | 209 |
| Totals | 776 | 749 | 809 |
| **"Hub"—** | | | |
| Schrotz | 144 | 183 | 135 |
| Koster | 111 | 169 | 146 |
| Hemmel | 168 | 150 | 138 |
| Esser | 187 | 167 | 168 |
| E. Ottow | 141 | 174 | 160 |
| Totals | 751 | 843 | 747 |
| **Chili Al's—** | | | |
| Gauer | 170 | 224 | 196 |
| Booth | 132 | 224 | 160 |
| J. Hackett | 194 | 165 | 166 |
| Grim | 150 | 186 | 168 |
| Kramer | 141 | 168 | 223 |
| Totals | 787 | 967 | 916 |
| **O'Connell & Meyer—** | | | |
| Coyne | 201 | 171 | 195 |
| Schleicher | 176 | 162 | 154 |
| McGinnes | 150 | 141 | 146 |
| C. Reider | 148 | 186 | 189 |
| Fahringer | 137 | 194 | 150 |
| Totals | 806 | 854 | 832 |

### Eagle Standings

| | W. | L. | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Flyers | 37 | 5 | .888 |
| Claws | 24 | 18 | .576 |
| Beaks | 23 | 19 | .552 |
| Birds | 17 | 25 | .408 |
| Eagles | 14 | 28 | .336 |
| Emblems | 13 | 29 | .312 |

### Individual Standings

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Kehl | 193 | Slough | 150 |
| Bossart | 168 | Lauck | 150 |
| Newburg | 166 | Corcoran | 148 |
| C. Rosein | 166 | Stadelman | 144 |
| C. Kraft | 155 | Larson | 144 |
| A. Utter | 164 | Lochner | 141 |
| Van Keullen | 157 | Denstadt | 138 |
| Lester | 157 | T. George | 137 |
| Haussmann | 156 | Chidester | 136 |
| G. Utter | 156 | Drives | 134 |
| Gerke | 154 | Wamke | 132 |
| Brooks | 158 | Best | 125 |
| McKenna | 152 | Faber | 124 |
| Matzdorf | 151 | Langley | 121 |

### Statehouse League

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Big Five—** | | | |
| O'Meara | 146 | 139 | 167 |
| Scheibel | 124 | 133 | 200 |
| C. Johnson | 142 | 172 | 169 |
| Patterson | 141 | 177 | 108 |
| Kleinheinz | 167 | 162 | 160 |
| Totals | 720 | 783 | 804 |
| **Americans—** | | | |
| Thompson | 167 | 203 | 181 |
| Meyers | 141 | 155 | 147 |
| Hipp | 144 | 129 | 156 |
| Germond | 102 | 114 | 133 |
| Hubbard | 134 | 151 | 172 |
| Totals | 683 | 762 | 789 |
| **Destroyers—** | | | |
| Hillyer | 187 | 131 | 151 |
| King | 121 | 125 | 111 |
| Weigie | 129 | 101 | 130 |
| Steven | 136 | 116 | 147 |
| Burhop | 184 | 189 | 167 |
| Totals | 757 | 662 | 706 |
| **Gladiators—** | | | |
| Johnson, E. | 156 | 166 | 167 |
| Haugen | 129 | 143 | 93 |
| Kalbus | 184 | 184 | 151 |
| Trumbower | 126 | 128 | 97 |
| Mullen | 154 | 161 | 146 |
| Totals | 749 | 782 | 654 |
| **Sandbaggers—** | | | |
| Syftestad | 153 | 197 | 141 |
| Brandt | 132 | 102 | 129 |
| Brabant | 128 | 118 | 140 |
| Lester | 155 | 163 | 114 |
| Grell | 124 | 153 | 182 |
| Totals | 712 | 733 | 706 |
| **Allies—** | | | |
| Bull | 162 | 162 | 162 |
| Mauzer | 138 | 138 | 138 |
| Pixley | 187 | 168 | 142 |
| Atwood | 95 | 121 | 136 |
| Nordness | 148 | 146 | 163 |
| Totals | 730 | 735 | 741 |
| Hoyt | 160 | 153 | 187 |
| Ong | 112 | 107 | 107 |
| Edwards | 110 | 158 | 133 |
| Erickson | 125 | 141 | 118 |
| Reichert | 163 | 204 | 177 |
| Totals | 679 | 763 | 722 |
| **Bumps—** | | | |
| Rasmussen | 118 | 144 | 113 |
| Hutchcroft | 142 | 159 | 148 |
| Kickhofer | 104 | 145 | 171 |
| Whittet | 141 | 141 | 141 |
| Ward | 189 | 142 | 139 |
| Totals | 694 | 731 | 712 |
| **No-se-ems—** | | | |
| Casserley | 152 | 127 | 135 |
| Ovitt | 157 | 149 | 157 |
| Timbers | 149 | 149 | 149 |
| Glaeser | 135 | 135 | 135 |
| Kirch | 169 | 185 | 151 |
| Totals | 762 | 745 | 727 |
| **Agitators—** | | | |
| Dinneen | 143 | 153 | 176 |
| Comerford | 170 | 125 | 163 |
| Blumenfeld | 101 | 126 | 144 |
| Remey | 135 | 130 | 156 |
| Barry | 171 | 172 | 156 |
| Totals | 720 | 706 | 795 |
| **Jacks—** | | | |
| Myrland | 128 | 115 | 173 |
| Adams | 110 | 100 | 156 |
| Anderson | 82 | 136 | 114 |
| Pugh | 144 | 243 | 146 |
| Kurtmacher | 145 | 147 | 165 |
| Totals | 609 | 741 | 754 |
| **Castaways—** | | | |
| Johnson, H. | 159 | 153 | 126 |
| Buckingham | 133 | 151 | 118 |
| Dudgeon | 137 | 130 | 172 |
| Mathews | 122 | 126 | 138 |
| Schreiber | 165 | 157 | 198 |
| Totals | 716 | 717 | 752 |

### Inter-Fraternity League

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Psi U. | 804 | 664 | 797 |
| Phi Kap | 756 | 683 | 736 |
| Delta Tau | | | |
| Phi Delt | Forfeited | | |
| Theta Delt | 784 | 724 | 704 |
| Alpha Delt | Forfeited | | |
| Gamma Tau Beta | 679 | 664 | 669 |
| Kappa Sig | 742 | 658 | 742 |
| Phi Sigma Kappa | 713 | 832 | 759 |
| Zeta Psi | 735 | 746 | 751 |
| Beta | 669 | 736 | 767 |
| A. T. O. | 756 | 848 | 787 |
| S. A. E. | 818 | 828 | 836 |
| Sigma Nu | 753 | 781 | 723 |

### Ladies Star League

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Mercuries—** | | | |
| Rasmussen | 153 | 138 | 145 |
| Scherer | 140 | 149 | 201 |
| Nordness | 86 | 131 | 101 |
| Sander | 99 | 134 | 100 |
| Totals | 478 | 552 | 547 |
| **Jupiters—** | | | |
| Adams | 150 | 175 | 143 |
| Cramer | 145 | 114 | 113 |
| Beers | 102 | 111 | 117 |
| Hornnad | 118 | 88 | 106 |
| Totals | 515 | 488 | 479 |
| **Saturns—** | | | |
| Joe | 110 | 138 | 140 |
| Ella | 93 | 98 | 90 |
| Jennie | 77 | 113 | 113 |
| Florence | 126 | 89 | 104 |
| Totals | 406 | 433 | 456 |
| **Junos—** | | | |
| Hawkins | 121 | 112 | 100 |
| Pixley | 142 | 128 | 140 |
| Lawrence | 100 | 116 | 115 |
| Evanson | 114 | 114 | 114 |
| Totals | 477 | 469 | 469 |
| **Orions—** | | | |
| Breitenbach | 118 | 130 | 177 |
| F. Schwenker | 120 | 107 | 126 |
| I. O'Grady | 107 | 95 | 133 |
| Longfield | 111 | 111 | 111 |
| Totals | 436 | 443 | 547 |
| **Mars—** | | | |
| F. O'Grady | 116 | 101 | 89 |
| Kretlow | 120 | 112 | 138 |
| Schwoegler | 99 | 128 | 93 |
| Phillips | 123 | 84 | 123 |
| Totals | 458 | 4225 | 443 |
| **Neptunes—** | | | |
| Shiels | 107 | 132 | 100 |
| Vaughn | 113 | 139 | 121 |
| A. Schwenker | 142 | 104 | 115 |
| Heineman | 103 | 92 | 66 |
| Totals | 465 | 467 | 402 |
| **Uranians—** | | | |
| Knudson | 98 | 135 | 123 |
| Fix | 74 | 84 | 139 |
| Lavin | 101 | 120 | 116 |
| Davy | 83 | 146 | 117 |
| Totals | 356 | 485 | 495 |

### Statehouse Ladies' League

| | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| **Goldfish—** | | | |
| Blied | 135 | 132 | 130 |
| I. Vick | 131 | 113 | 122 |
| Mertle | 80 | 69 | 100 |
| Totals | 454 | 403 | 454 |
| **Badgers—** | | | |
| L. Vick | 113 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Hitchcock | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Lewis | 125 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Brophy | 52 | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Totals | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| **Bluffers—** | | | |
| Swenholt | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Johnson (sub) | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Harvey (sub) | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| E. Blied | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Totals | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| **Strugglers—** | | | |
| Erickson | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Maas | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Miller | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Griffiths | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Totals | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| **Hy-Kys—** | | | |
| Hawkins | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Findorff | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Kuellz | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Minch | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Totals | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| **Skov-Kys—** | | | |
| Beckner | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Hughes | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Brown | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Wood | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |
| Totals | [illegible] | [illegible] | [illegible] |

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MALE HELP

WANTED—STUDENT WHO HAS SOLD ADVERTISING WHO WOULD LIKE TO BE EMPLOYED PART OF TIME SOLICITING ADVERTISING FOR THE CAPITAL TIMES. CALL FOR THE ADVERTISING MANAGER.

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SALESLADIES and salesmen wanted to work in city; also good man to handle coffee route. Call for H. J. Grover, Mrs. Simon's Hotel, room 21, from 4:30 to 7:30 p. m.

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BOOKKEEPER — Experienced lady stenographer and bookkeeper desires position. Write Box 101 care Capital Times.

FURNISHED ROOMS

GILMAN STREET, 15 W.—Furnished rooms, steam heat, electric lights, four blocks from square. Phone 1881.

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

ICEBOX for grocery store. 308 State street.

BABY CARRIAGE—Wicker body, fine condition. 721 Conklin Place.

REGISTER—National Cash register 3?8 State street.

JANESVILLE HOMESTEAD NURSERY Catarac, Wisconsin, R. No. 2, Everbearing Plants a specialty. Everbearing Strawberry Plants prepaid $3.50 per 100. St. Reges Raspberry, 1 doz. plants $1.00. Correspondence solicited.

SALES Dayton computing scale at ?? State street.

SUN FLOUR
Best Grade Flour
$2.75 per 50 lb. sack
Mrs. Sigrist, Booth 16-17
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BASEBURNER (Favorite) hard coal burner, fine condition. Used only two seasons. Guaranteed satisfactory. Phone 7375.

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JUNK of all kinds. Iron, rags, paper, rubber. The highest prices paid. Phone ????. Ed. Ottenfeld.

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BAGGAGE AND BAGGAGE DELIVERY Well established business. Owner wishes to retire. For sale at a sacrifice. Write Box 104, Capital Times.

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KEHL'S SCHOOL OF DANCING
Beginners class every Monday evening. Modern dancing class every Thursday evening. Private lessons by appointment. Phone 1770.
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CABINET MAKING
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Expertly and neatly done
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Private Locker Rooms $4.00 per month and up.

AUTOS FOR SALE

CASE 40—1916 Model, A1 condition. Will take Ford in exchange. Phones 645--405.

FORD—New touring car. If interested write Box S. H. D., Capital Times.

FURNISHED APARTMENTS

CENTRAL—Furnished apartment midway between capitol and university. Call 4875.

WANTED TO RENT

COTTAGE or three or four rooms furnished for housekeeping wanted by couple with children, two and four. Best of care given. Address J. A. Murphy, Capital Times.

ROOM—Woman desires furnished room well heated, comfortable; private entrance preferred. Near square. Write Box 100, Capital Times.

ROOMS—Three furnished, heated rooms for light housekeeping near square. Phone 973.

HOUSES FOR SALE

EAST SIDE—9 room house with double garage. Lot 66x130 within one block of Tenney Park, worth $7500, price $6250. Owner must sacrifice. Address Box 12, Capital Times.

Exceptional Bargain
COUNTRY HOME
Close to Madison—access to lake
LEGLER—Phone 1211

MONEY WANTED

$12,000 FOR FIVE YEARS, 5½ percent interest on well improved farm within three miles of Madison, Cash value $24,000. Address Farmer, Capital Times.

REAL ESTATE

The Stark Land Co.
Offers you all forms of real estate service.
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FORM LETTERS

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# CRIPPLED SOLDIERS HIT BY PAN-GERMANS

[By the Associated Press.]

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 9.—A number of disabled German soldiers were invited on Monday to attend a meeting of the Fatherland party, founded recently in the interest of the pan-Germans and other uncompromising elements. They grew restless under the flow of chauvinist-talk from the annexationists, says the socialist organ Vorwaerts. They were not permitted to speak and a stormy scene followed.

One of the speakers referred to the disabled soldiers as deserters who had left Hindenburg's banner to betray their comrades. Some of the cripples, Vorwaerts says, "were belabored with sticks and abused by the heroic 'home warriors' of the Fatherland party."

The police finally ordered the disabled soldiers to leave the hall.

## DR. C. H. VILAS THANKED BY COUNTY MEDICAL MEN

A resolution of thanks and appreciation to Dr. C. H. Vilas for his generosity and help in forwarding work was passed by the members of the Dane County Medical association, meeting in the rooms of the Madison Association of Commerce. A vote of thanks was extended also to the board of directors of the Madison Anti-Tuberculosis association.

Dr. J. A. Jackson, Jr., read a clinical paper on Bone Cysts, with demonstrations of four patients. Dr. L. R. Head gave a report on the growth and development of the Madison tuberculosis sanitarium.

# NORGORD SAYS FARMERS GAVE BIG WAR CROP

## Acreage in Wisconsin Increased 6 Per Cent Says Commissioner

### FROST GOT CORN

### Department Wages War on Diseases Among Farm Animals

BARABOO, Wis., Jan. 9.—At a meeting of the Sauk County Creamery-Butter-Makers association here today, C. P. Norgord, commissioner of the state department of agriculture, at the capitol, spoke on "Agriculture During the War."

In addition to the distribution of grain, the state council of defense, the county councils, the department of agriculture, the college of agriculture, and the county agents, carried on an educational propaganda, sent out bulletins and posters, and also speakers broadcast over the state, to organize and stimulate each community for the production of greater crops.

**How Government Was Aided.**

As a result of this work in the state, Wisconsin increased its acreage in crops in total by 495,655 acres, or six per cent. The increase in bushels of small grains, not counting corn, was 16,440,000, valued at $14,507,577; the increase in hay was 319,456 tons, valued at $22,633,000 the increase in tobacco was 9,868,000 pounds, valued at $1,290,000; increase in potatoes was 21,872,000 bushels, valued at $9,971,000. The total value of increased crops was $244,180,000. Had the frost held off, Wisconsin would have produced the largest corn crop in its history, and the total value of increased crops would have been even larger.

**Department Eradicates Diseases**

Mr. Norgord also emphasized the fact that the department of agriculture is doing a large war work in the eradication of diseases, through the live stock sanitary division, and plant diseases through the entomology division, increasing the tillable acreage, and, through the land clearing and settlement projects of upper Wisconsin, also stimulating production and patriotism of the state through the state fair. The division of agricultural statistics is also getting accurate information in regard to the production and crop situation of the state. An annual report of this is just now in preparation.

The live stock sanitary division of the department of agriculture is just now placing special emphasis upon the eradication of tuberculosis.

A project in which the creameries and cheese factories of the state are particularly concerned, is that of the compulsory pasteurization of all by-products of cheese factories and creameries, before these products are fed to any animal. One of the most important indications of the dangers of these by-products is the fact that they are contaminated by tuberculosis, through these sources.

The butter-makers and creamery patrons present at the meeting, were given information on the demands of this law, and how it is to be enforced.

**The Accredited Herd Plan**

A fruther project along this line is that of the state accredited herds. This project was started by the state department of agriculture, at the capitol, three years ago, quite largely at the suggestion of Mr. Carpenter of this city. Through the agitation of this project, this movement has now became nation-wide, and has been adopted as a national policy. This year co-operative arrangements have been made with the United States bureau of animal industry whereby representatives of this bureau are now furnished to the department of agriculture to aid in testing throughout the state. By means of this project, herds upon this list will be advertised as properly tested, and will be permitted to be shipped into any state in the union without further testing than that upon which they were accredited.

The department has also carried forward a project on area testing, or cleaning up entire areas, leaving no herds untested to contaminate those that have been freed of this disease.

# RECORD YEAR IN BIG STOCK YARDS

## Cattle, Horses and Mule Receipts at E. St. Louis Are Big

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Jan. 9.—That cattle, horses and mule receipts made 1917 the record year for the National Stock Yards here, is the announcement made by the East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

Statistics compiled by H. L. Wyatt, traffic manager of the Stock Yards Company, showed the number of cattle received as 1,408,464, an increase of 208,134 over 1916, and the largest in the history of the yards. The horses and mules numbered 279,837, an increase of 18,019, and the greatest number ever sold at these markets. More than half of these horses and mules were for war purposes, Mr. Wyatt said.

The number of hogs and sheep received show a decrease. Hog receipts fell 351,798 from 1916 and sheep receipts fell 139,804.

Plans for a new horse and mule market are nearing completion. The old markets were destroyed by fire last September.

The number of railway cars required to handle the stock yard business last year totaled 89,987, an increase of 3,831 over 1916.

# STOUGHTON

STOUGHTON, Wis., Jan. 8.—In the library window is a bulletin board upon which many statements in regard to food conservation are displayed. There are very many different bulletins all stating something in regard to shortages of that certain product and how to prepare meals and delicious dishes without the use of some things that are very hard to obtain at present. It would be well worth while for those who are interested and ought to be interested to go up to the library and read some of these articles. If you think there is not much of a shortage of wheat go up and get some figures and be sure of it or if you do not know how to make certain dishes without sugar go up and find out how. Everyone will be interested in this because everyone is interested in the conservation of food.

**Theater Programs**

Globe—A Bluebird feature, "The Boy Girl," with Violet Merserlan in the leading role.

Lyric—"Betsy Ross."

**Send Them Smokes**

From good authority (a letter from Waco) it is evident that all soldier boys like candy but would appreciate smokes much more. The gifts you send them are just like any other gifts—useful or just gifts. The soldier boys accept candy as you would accept a fragile piece of chinaware or something of very expensive and easily worn out or broken but they accept smokes as you accept a good pair of warm woolen socks knitted by your mother. Smokes are considered useful in the army. Remember that the next time you send something to your soldier pal.

The knitting of helmets is a service that is not overdone by those who take it upon themselves to knit. All the boys in Waco are hoping they will get helmets before they go across.

**Stoughton, 14; Cambridge, 11**

Well the Stoughton Highs returned from Cambridge with another victory to their list. The highs are running along in fine shape this season and are due for some peppy playing when they meet Madison on the local floor next Friday night. The game at Cambridge was not as snappy as the score indicates because the Cambridge boys had a way of bunching together and carrying the ball down the floor. It was too much like interference and carrying the ball for the local basket tossers. There will be a big parade mass-meeting and so on next Friday. Watch this paper for full announcements later.

**Obituary**

Mrs. Wm. Gilley passed away yesterday in a hospital in Madison. Death was due to embolism which is the hardening of blood in the veins. She is survived by her husband, three children, Harry Wood of this city, Miss Inez Gilley and Mrs. Lynn Wilder of Holson, Mont.

**Locals**

Carrie Mandt returns to her home in Minneapolis on Thursday after visiting a few days with relatives here.

Mrs. S. S. Daley of DeForest and Mrs. E. Ellestad of Madison returned yesterday to their respective homes. They have been visiting the past few days with Miss Isabel Hulsether, residing on the west side.

Miss Elma Olson is on the mend again and has resumed her duties as bookkeeper at Otto Phillip's hardware store. She has been confined to her home with tonsilitus.

Miss Blanche McNeil returned to Janesville yesterday to resume her studies at the Janesville Business College.

# SUN PRAIRIE

**Married People's Dance**

The first married people's dance of the season, will be held at the City hall Tuesday evening. Brahms' Orchestra of Madison, will furnish the music.

**Annual Meeting**

The annual meeting of the Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Company, of Bristol, will be held in the Council room of the City hall, at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, for the purpose of election of a board of directors, and other business.

**Clearing Out Sale**

E. J. Hillenbrand, has a week's clearing out sale of men's and youths' clothing, sale commenced Saturday.

**Red Cross Notes**

The regular weekly meetings of the Red Cross, will be held Monday and Wednesday evenings, and all day Friday until further notice.

Misses Dorothy Thorp, and Mable Allen, had their tonsils removed at Madison, Friday.

Mrs. John Cox, and daughter, of Madison was a New Year's guest of her father, H. H. Bowers.

Miss Agnes Davison, who has spent the holidays, in the home of her father, N. S. Davison, and other relatives, returned to Marion, So. Dak., Thursday.

Miss Grace Stimson, visited from Friday to Sunday, in the home of Miss Emma Beaver, in the township.

Mrs. Julia Woerpel, was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Buell, at Pierceville.

Miss Helen Stimson, went to Bristol Saturday, where she will spend a week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davison.

Prin. F. J. Holt, and daughter Edith Mae were week end guests with his mother, Mrs. John Holt, at Janesville.

Rev. Drescher, and daughter Esther, spent part of the week in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Herbert Otto, at Burke.

The kaiser is a great logician. He says that if peace is not made now, the war will continue.—Eau Claire Leader.

It's the sick people who take care of their health.

The state meeting of the Postal Clerks' and Carriers' association will meet with the rural carriers at Wausau, July 4 and 5.

Don't Wait. DO IT NOW. Buy War-Savings Stamps.

# MEDICS HOLD EXAMINATIONS IN MADISON

## Only 12 Applications for Physicians at Semi-Annual Meet

### NURSES HERE ALSO

### Over 45 Are Taking Examinations at Local Church for Lectures

The State Board of Medical Examiners called on Gov. Philipp just before noon, but Secretary J. M. Dodd of Ashland said that while the visit was friendly, Gov. Philipp discussed health legislation.

It is known that in sections of the state efforts have been made to have Gov. Philipp include in his call for the special session of the legislature, bills to curb social diseases.

The medical board is holding its semi-annual examinations here. Only twelve applications have been made for licenses. These examinations are being conducted at the Park Hotel.

The Committee of Examiners of Registered Nurses are today giving an examination in the Sunday School rooms of the First Congregational church. Fifty-six graduate nurses from accredited schools for nurses are taking the examination for state registration in Wisconsin. They are all residents of Wisconsin and represent every section of the state. The successful candidates will be granted certificates signed by members of the examining committee and the state board of medical examiners.

The members of the Committee of Examiners are Mathild Krueger, R. N., chairman, Neenah; Anna J. Haswell, R. N., secretary, 1610 Jefferson street, Madison; Anna Dastych, R. N., La Crosse; Mabel C. Bradshaw, R. M., Milwaukee; and Cora V. Nifer, R. N. Wauwatosa.

# KAISER TELLS POLAND OF PEACE AIMS

## Emperor Says He Has Stood as Champion of Principles for Humanity's Welfare

### DELEGATION IS MET

### Reestablishment of the Kingdom of Poland is Occasion for Visit

[By the Associated Press.]

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 9.—Referring to himself as having been throughout his reign the champion of principles making for the welfare of humanity and peaceable co-operation of peoples, Emperor William assured his full support to the delegation of the Polish regency council which he received a day or two ago. In reply to the address presented by the delegates who expressed gratitude for the restoration of the independent Polish kingdom, the emperor said:

"I gather from your words, with lively satisfaction, that you see in the acts carried out by exalted allies and myself fulfillment of the long cherished desire of the Polish people for reestablishment of the independent Polish kingdom and that you believe you will be best serving your fatherland if in common with the German empire and Austro-Hungarian monarchy, you pursue the aims which guarantee the weal of humanity and peaceful co-operation of peoples. As against the calumnies of the enemy, I feel grateful that my unremitting efforts in my reign of nearly thirty years to be the champion and protector of these principles which meet with deep sympathy on your part.

"May it be granted to you, gentlemen, in successful labor to give the Polish state foundations which will guarantee its further peaceable development as an element of order, progress and civilization. You may hereby be assured of the full support of myself and my government."

## LUNCHEON PROMISES TO BE WELL ATTENDED

A goodly number of reservations have been received at the Association of Commerce offices for the 1 o'clock luncheon at the Park hotel tomorrow.

J. L. Lynch, president of the National Clothiers' association, of Minneapolis, and H. A. Moehlenpah of Clinton, an active worker in bankers' organization work, will be the principal speakers.

Among those who have already sent in their reservations from outside of Madison are J. H. Campion, La Crosse; George F. Greeg, R. F. D.; James Conley, Sun Prairie; E. W. Schweppe, De Forest; J. R. Caldwell, Vienna; A. Gorman, Oregon; F. W. Chase, Sun Prairie; M. V. Adamson, Brooklyn; E. F. Kramer, Oregon; J. M. Hibbard, Stoughton; E. A. Saunders, Marshall; Mr. Broth, Sun Prairie. All of these out of town residents of Dane county will be the guests of Madison people.

The true philosopher smiles at his own misfortunes and tries to relieve the misfortunes of others. Such men are scarce.

A rolling stone accumulates no dust.

The man who compliments nine women on their looks and one on her cleverness makes only one mistake.

# REGULATION JUMP TOPIC OF VAN HISE

## President Says Changes of Value Adopted in War Will be Kept

### DISCUSSES CONSERVATION

### Lectures Are Given in 800 Colleges Scattered Over the Country

The work of conservation and regulation which has been accomplished under the emergency laws and boards created by the war crisis is discussed authoritatively in Part Two of "Conservation and Regulation in the United States During the World War," a 175-page outline for a course of lectures just published by President C. R. Van Hise. The material was prepared at the request of the national food administration and will be supplied to some 800 colleges and universities for use in emergency war courses.

Part Two is a discussion enriched by the experience of the food administration since August. It discusses all phases of the federal food saving work, food production work, the work of the fuel administration, construction and control of shipping, the war industries board, print paper, exports and imports, the priority administration, and consideration of the relation of the regulatory measures and the anti-trust laws and the continuance of regulation after the war.

"The facts presented make it clear that the existing conservation movement is a third episode in the development of general conservation in this country," Dr. Van Hise declares, "the first phase being that which resulted in the policy of forest conservation, and the second that which grew out of the white house conference called by Roosevelt.

"Under the mighty stress of war, the development of the conservation and regulatory movements has been at a speed never before approached," said Dr. Van Hise. "Before the war the realization of the necessity for a conservation movement had reached but a small proportion of the people, although in this proportion were a large number of readers and thinkers. However, the resultant action for food conservation carried on by the food administration, the United States department of agriculture, colleges of agriculture, state and local councils of defense, and other organizations have carried conviction to a very large proportion of the people of the United States. Moreover, conviction has been so strong that action has resulted, and already there are vast reductions in the consumption of the essential foods.

"Before the outbreak of the war the principles of regulation had developed sufficiently so that it was a recognized policy of the nation that all public utilities are under control. This control includes both rates and character of service; further, we have seen that pure food laws have been passed which control quality in the matter of foods and drugs. Foods must be pure and labels must tell the truth.

"These very moderate advances in regulation were accomplished as the result of a struggle extending over at least a quarter of a century; in contrast with this slow movement has been the amazing change since the war began. A remarkable group of the regulatory laws have been enacted which go far beyond anything which has been considered possible in the direction of regulations.

"All the regulatory measures which have been discussed are for the duration of the war or for a certain limited period following the war. When the war closes, if no action of congress is taken, all of these various measures considered for the control and distribution of essential commodities will expire. Should they be allowed to expire, or should they continue? The general answer must be made that so far as they have proved beneficial to the public they should be continued, and so far as they have not been beneficial they should not be contiued."

# MAP OUT ROAD PLAN FOR YEAR

## Conference of Highway Engineers Takes Up State Highway Problems

A conference of staff engineers is being held at the state highway commission today to map out the road work for the coming year. It will require the remainder of the week to perfect the plans.

The meeting is being attended by A. R. Hirst, state highway engineer; M. W. Torkelson, bridge engineer; H. J. Kuelling, assistant engineer; J. T. Donaghey, maintenance engineer; F. M. Balsley, Madison; J. E. Gillespie, Milwaukee; W. M. Conway, Green Bay; F. F. Menger, Grand Rapids; W. C. Buetow, La Crosse; G. H. Nickell, Eau Claire; F. M. Sergeant, Rhinelander, and S. P. Hall, Spooner.

This meeting will also discuss the problems to come before the state road school scheduled for Feb. 4.

There are 635 builders of state highways, county roads, and city streets registered for the convention. Attaches of the state highway commission will conduct a short course in highway building, including construction, maintenance, finance and federal and state aid.

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# MARKETS

**Minneapolis Flour**

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 9—Flour unchanged. In carload lots standard flour quoted at $9.75 a barrel in 98-pound cotton sacks. Shipments 59,452 bbls.

Barley—1.31@1.57.
Rye—1.83@1.84.
Bran—32.50.

**Chicago Butter**

Chicago, Jan. 9.—Butter, lower; receipts 5,277 tubs; creamery extras 48½; extra firsts 47½@48; firsts 48@46½; seconds 39@41.

Cheese—Steady; daisies 25@25½; horns 26½@27; Americas 26½@27; twins 23½@24.

**Chicago Eggs**

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Eggs higher; receipts 2,547 cases; firsts 56@57; ordinary firsts 52@55; at mark, cases included; refrigerator firsts 41½.

Potatoes—Receipts 25 cars; unchanged.

Poultry—Alive, lower; fowls 20@23½; springs 24.

**Chicago Livestock**

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 20,000; strong; bulk 16.25@16.60; light 15.80@16.55; mixed 16.00@16.65; heavy 15.90@16.65; rough 15.90@16.10; pigs 12.50@15.50.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; strong; native steers 8.15@13.75; stockers and feeders 6.85@10.75; cows and heifers 5.80@11.85; calves 8.50@15.50.

Sheep—Receipts 5,000; strong; wethers 9.70@13.35; lambs 14.00@17.75.

**Milwaukee Grain**

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Jan. 9.—Corn: No. 3 yellow 1.75@1.80; No. 3 white 1.70@1.75; No. 3, 1.65@1.75.

Oats—Standard 83½; No. 3 white 82¼@83; No. 4 white 81½.

Rye—No. 1, 185½.

Barley—Malting 1.45@1.58; feed and rejected 1.35@1.45; Wisconsin 1.48@1.58.

Hay unchanged.

**St. Paul Livestock**

SOUTH ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 9.—Hogs—Receipts 12,000; steady; range $15.75@16.20; bulk 15.00@16.10.

Cattle — Receipts 4,300; killers steady; steers 6.50@12.50; cows and heifers 6.50@9.00; veal calves steady, 5.00@14.25; stockers and feeders steady, 5.00@10.00.

Sheep—Receipts 22.00; lambs twenty-five cents higher; sheep strong; lambs 8.00@16.50; wethers 7.00@18.00; ewes 5.00@15.50.

**Duluth Grain**

DULUTH, Minn., Jan. 9.—Elevator receipts of domestic grain: Wheat 7,300 bu., year ago 33,800; barley 16,200 bu., year ago 5,200; rye 600 bu., year ago 37,500; flax 3,300 bu., year ago 7,800.

Shipments—Flax 5,300 bu., year ago 3,700.

Elevator receipts of bonded grain: Wheat 4,400 bu., year ago 5,300.

No shipments.

Duluth car inspection—Wheat: Nos. 1 and 2 northern 3; No. 3, 1; durumr 1; mixed 3; total wheat 8, year ago 27; flax 2, year ago 10; oats 4, year ago 1; barley 11; total of all grains 25, year ago 49; on track 30.

**MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN**

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Jan. 9.—Wheat receipts 231 cars, compared with 250 a year ago.

Corn—No. 3 yellow $1.65@$1.70.
Oats—No. 3 white 79@80.
Flax—$3.55@$3.58.

**CHICAGO GRAIN**

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Corn—No. 2 yellow nominal; No. 3 yellow $1.81; No. 4 yellow $1.65.

Oats—No. 3 white 80¼@81¼; standard 81@82.

Rye—No. 2 $1.83@1.85.
Barley—$1.38@1.58.
Timothy—$5.00@7.50.
Clover—$21.00@27.00.
Pork—Nominal.
Lard—$24.27.
Ribs—$23.37@24.00.

**NEW YORK STOCK LIST**
(Last Sale)

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| American Beet Sugar | 74 |
| American Can | 38⅜ |
| American Car & Foundry | 69 |
| American Locomotive | 56 |
| American Smelting & Refining | 78¾ |
| American Sugar Refining | 101 |
| Anaconda Copper | 62 |
| Atchison | 85¼ |
| Baldwin Locomotive | 59 |
| Baltimore & Ohio | 58 |
| Bethlehem Steel "B" | 78¾ |
| Canadian Pacific | 139¼ |
| Central Leather | 65¾ |
| Chesapeake & Ohio | 53¼ |
| Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul | 45⅝ |
| Chicago, R. I. & Pac. Ry. | 20¼ |
| Chino Copper | 48 |
| Colorado Fuel and Iron | 35¾ B |
| Columbia Gas and Electric | 32½ |
| Corn Products | 32 |
| Crucible Steel | 54⅝ |
| Cuba Cane Sugar | 30 |
| Erie | 15⅝ |
| General Motors | 116 |
| Great Northern Pfd | 90¼ |
| Great Northern Ore Ctfs | 27 |
| Inspiration Copper | 47 |
| Int. Mer. Marine Pfd | 86¾ |
| Kennecticut Copper | 32 |
| Louisville and Nashville | 114½ |
| Maxwell Motor Co | 25¼ |
| Mexocan Petroleum | 83½ |
| Miami Copper | 31⅝ |
| Midvale Steel | 46⅝ |
| Missouri Pacific | 22¾ |
| Nevada Copper | 18⅝ |
| New York Central | 70¾ |
| Norfolk and Western | 104 |
| Ohio Cities Gas | 36⅝ |
| Pennsylvania | 46⅜ |
| Pittsburg Coal | 44B |
| Ray Consolidated Copper | 23 |
| Reading | 74⅞ |
| Republic Iron & Steel | 77½ |
| Sinclair Oil | 31 |
| Southern Pacific | 83⅝ |
| Southern Railway | 23½ |
| Studebaker Co. | 51½ |
| Tennessee Copper | 13¾ |
| Texas Co. | 144½ |
| Tobacco Products | 51 |
| Union Pacific | 114½ |
| United Cigar Stores | 91 |
| U. S. Industrial Alcohol | 119 |
| U. S. Rubber | 53 |
| United States Steel | 94⅞ |
| Utah Copper | 80½ |
| Wabash Pfd. "A" | 42 |
| Westinghouse Electric | 40¾ |
| Willys-Overland | 17⅝ |
| A. T. & T. | 105⅝ |
| I. C. | 91B |
| General Electric | 133 |

When a man comes back to the "old home town" for the holidays he is sure to meet several big fat women who were slender and pretty when he saw them last.

The man who throws newspapers on the floor at his home is not hennpecked.

Have you ENLISTED in the Army of Savers? Buy War-Savings Stamps!

## LEADS WOMEN IN WAR RELIEF WORK

Mrs. Ben Johnson.

Whatever the fate or future status of the interstate commerce commission, the war relief association it fostered in Washington will go right on with its work. The assurance comes from Mrs. Ben Johnson, wife of the Kentucky congressman. She and the wives of the commission members have boosted the membership to 400 in two months' time and in the association rooms furnished by the commission the hundreds of women work daily. The scope of the work is that of similar organizations—the making of hospital supplies and knitting for French and Belgian refugee children.

# DAVIES MEN "ON THE JOB" FOR CANDIDATE

### Magazine Says He "Best Represents Spirit of the Times"

### REPUBLICANS INACTIVE

### While G. O. P. Discusses Appointment Democrats Are at Work

While Republicans in Wisconsin are debating whether Governor E. L. Philipp should have the authority to appoint a successor to United States Senator Paul O. Husting, to hold office until the regular election in 1918, the democrats are hard at work in behalf of Joseph E. Davies and laying plans for the grabbing of the plum for that gentlemen when the election does come.

Prefaced by the announcement that "Citizens of the Badger state, without regard to party insist that Joseph E. Davies best represents the spirit of the times," the National Monthly, a Washington publication, contains a big send off for the trade commission head.

The cover page of the same issue is a photograph of President Wilson with Mr. Davies, said to be the administration's candidate, occupying the place of honor at the chief executive's right.

**Parties United.**

"I have canvassed the situation quite thoroughly," says Frank B. Lord, signer of the article, "not only among administration officials in Washington, but among prominent men of affairs from Wisconsin and elsewhere, Republican as well as Democrats, and also men of independent political thought and action, and I find there is an unmistakable sentiment among a very large majority of them in favor of the election of the Hon. Joseph E. Davies, former Commissioner of Corporations, and member and first chairman of the Federal Trade Commission."

**Has Wilson's O. K.**

Mr. Lord also says that "if one could only read the mind of President Wilson, I believe it would be found to entertain the same hope and same belief." He adds that "of course, the President cannot express his personal preferences in the matter, but Mr. Davies so clearly represents all that the administration stands for" that there can't be any doubt but that the Wisconsin man has the entire approval of the White House, "because it is evident that Mr. Davies is the leader in the race" for Husting's seat, the magazine devotes three columns to a flattering sketch of his career.

# 4 CHICAGO FIREMEN KILLED DURING FIRE

### Walls of Moving Picture Collapse; Four Others Are Fatally Injured

[By the Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—Four firemen were killed and four injured, probably fatally, early today when the walls of a moving picture theatre collapsed while they were fighting the blaze. Several hundred spectators narrowly escaped death or injury when the walls fell. Police and firemen at the time were driving them back from the building.

New Yorkers are beating the ice man. They are making their own ice. A dishpan of water put on a fire escape at night returns twenty-five pounds of ice the next morning.

No amount is Too Small to Lend to Your Country. Buy War-Savings Stamps.

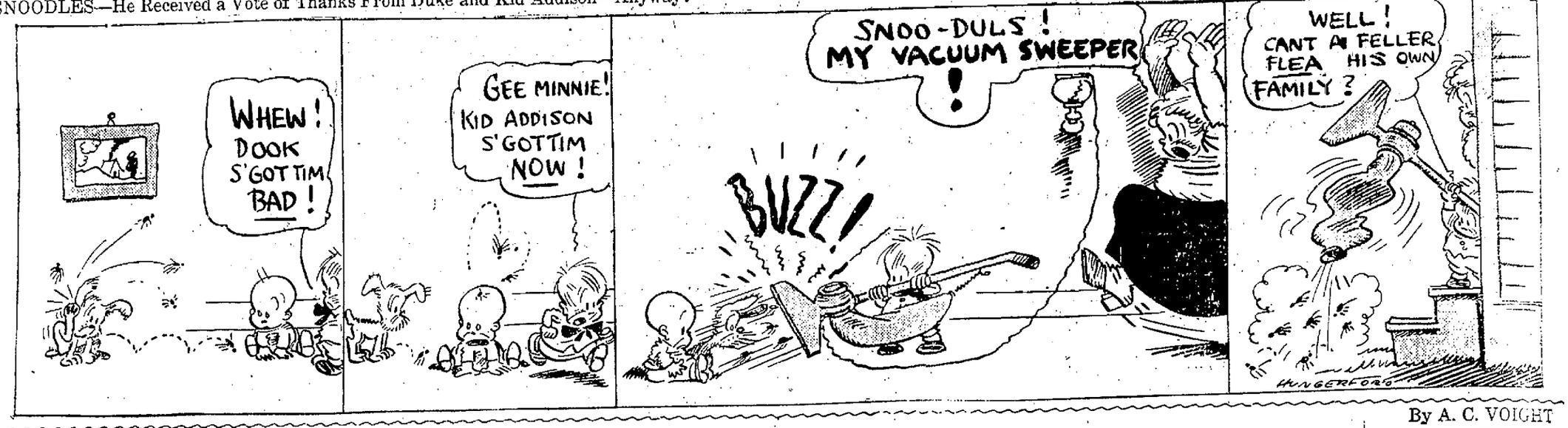
## DUCHESS' JEWELS GO TO CHILDREN

Duchess of Marlborough.

The Duchess of Marlborough, who was Consuela Vanderbilt, has given a magnificent collar, built of the famous Vanderbilt pearls and valued at $25,000, to the children's jewel fund, established by herself in London to raise funds for child welfare centers.

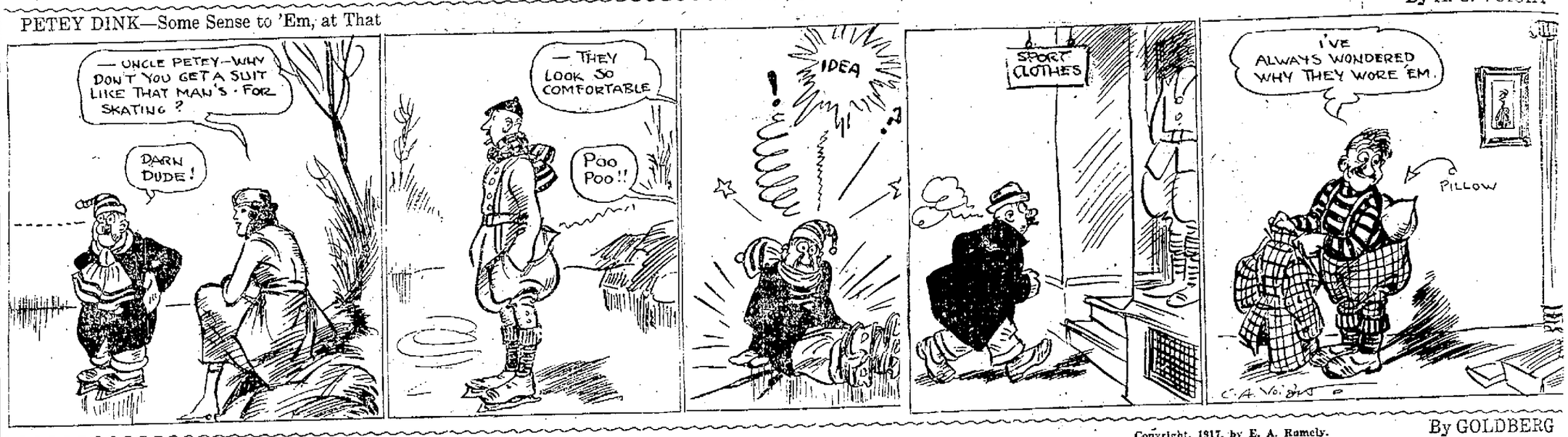
SNOODLES—He Received a Vote of Thanks From Duke and Kid Addison—Anyway!

By HUNGERFORD




PETEY DINK—Some Sense to 'Em, at That

By A. C. VOIGHT

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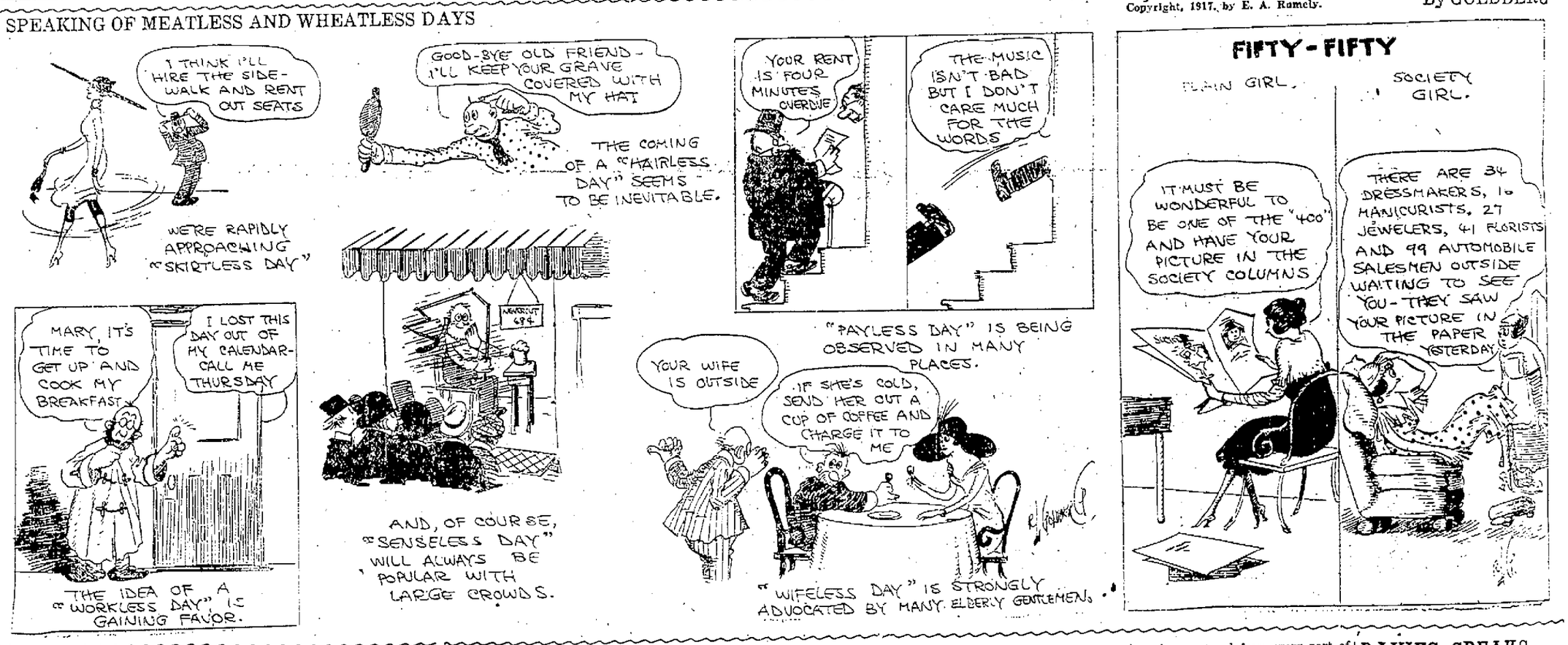
SPEAKING OF MEATLESS AND WHEATLESS DAYS

By GOLDBERG




# ASK HENS TO DO MORE WAR WORK

### Poultry Show Men Urged to Raise More Chickens Coming Year

### WILL ORGANIZE CLUBS

### C. H. Corman and M. H. Sibole to Conduct Their Activities From Madison

Two specialists, recruiting officers for Wisconsin's 1918 poultry army, are now busy helping to organize local units in preparation for the big spring hatching and brooding season. These men, who are working with officials of the College of Agriculture and the United States Department of Agriculture respectively, are C. H. Corman and M. H. Sibole.

Mr. Corman, who has already visited a number of mid-winter poultry shows in various parts of the state, is a breeder and judge of wide experience. He was until recently editor of an eastern poultry publication, and in 1904 was presented with a medal for his jury work at the St. Louis Exposition. He has engaged in commercial poultry raising in Pennsylvania for some time. Mr. Corman will travel in southern Wisconsin territory.

Mr. Sibole is a native of Upper Michigan, and has been allotted all of the northern half of Wisconsin for extension work in poultry husbandry. He acted as judge at a recent show in Superior, and states that the outlook for poultry production in upper Badger regions is excellent. Mr. Sibole is thoroughly acquainted with conditions in the newly settled sections of Wisconsin and Michigan, and hence is especially helpful in this area.

Both men are making their headquarters at the University of Wisconsin, where they have offices with J. G. Halpin, in charge of poultry husbandry. Communications addressed to this point will reach either man. These workers are at the service of both adult clubs and boys' and girls' poultry organizations. In the latter line the new poultry organizers will assist T. L. Bewick, state leader of boys' and girls' clubs, who with county representatives and teachers of agriculture in normal schools, high schools and county agricultural schools are putting in extra work with junior clubs.

# *Broods O'er Wrongs of People---Lands in Jail*

Who are these palefaces to dictate the life of the noble Red Man?

Who are they to, above all, tell E-ni-wi-go-bow, son of chieftains, what he should and should not do?

Generations before their penetration of the west his forefathers had reigned supreme. They had powwowed on the eve of battle and E-ni-wi-go-bow's own blood had sat in honored places about the council fires of the Chippewas!

And if they chose to trade their furs for the blood-tingling fire-water of the few survivors of a mighty nation, would do as he pleased!

Whereupon he proceeded to get for himself one, big bottle of whiskey and with it partially consumed seek his tepee on the Lac du Flambeau reservation to finish the liquor and brood over the wrongs of his people.

Today E-ni-wi-go-bow, whom the federal authorities call Pat Williams for convenience, pleaded guilty to a charge of introducing liquor on the reservation and was sentenced to sixty days in the Dane county jail.

Robert Chapman, on the same charge, drew like punishment.

### ANOTHER ARMY OFFICER DETAILED AT UNIVERSITY

First Sergeant Eugene McDonnell, U. S. army retired, has been detailed to active duty at the University of Wisconsin, beginning this week to assist in the carrying on of military drill of university students. The military department of the university now has three officers on its staff: Major A. R. Kerwin, commandant; Lieutenant W. G. Atkins, and Sergeant McDonnell.

Don't be a SPENDER, BE A SAVER! Buy War-Savings Stamps!

# THRIFT WORK IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

### Campaign Among Young to Help Uncle Sam Win War

A thrift campaign is being conducted among the children of Madison through the public schools, to urge the purchase of Thrift Stamps to help the government finance the war. Thrift stamps can be purchased for twenty-five cents, and when sixteen of these stamps are attached to a thrift card, it may be exchanged by adding twelve cents in cash prior to February 1, 1918, for a five dollar stamp, which is redeemable in 1923 for five dollars in gold.

William McAdoo in a statement to the school children says, "Through saving your pennies, nickels, dimes, quarters, and buying thrift stamps and then war-savings certificates, you will help your country and its gallant armies to win the war."

# DIRECTIONS FOR THE SENDING OF PARCELS TO SOLDIERS IN FRANCE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—The postoffice department today announced that parcels addressed to men of the American expeditionary forces in France will now be accepted for mailing if addressed "in care of the commanding general, port of embarkation."

A WAR SAVER is a Life SAVER! Buy War-Savings Stamps!

# NOISIEST PLACE IS CHICKEN SHOW

### 1,000 Birds on Exhibition at the Stock Pavilion

### CLAYTON HAS RECORD

### Dodgeville Man Has Thirty-one Entries in Big Event

The noisiest place in Madison this week is the university stock pavilion where 1000 chickens are on display in the fourteenth annual exhibition of the Wisconsin Poultry association. Three classes of birds are entered, those of the association members, the amateur class, and the juvenile class, about one hundred chickens being displayed by each of the last two classes.

The judges are George Hackett of North Freedom, and George Wells of Oshkosh. Ribbons are to be awarded in all three classes, cash prizes will be given the winners of the first three places of each class and variety of fowl entered by the association members, and a prize of one dollar will be given for first place in the juvenile entries.

**Holds the Record.**

Thomas Clayton of Dodgeville ranks first in the number of chickens entered with 31, and J. H. Durfee of Madison and W. H. Eldridge of Plymouth tie for second with 8. Chickens have been entered from every part of the state, and the men who have made the largest entries are: August Barth, Kenosha; B. A. Beach, Madison; Charles Brace, Lone Rock; B. J. Bennett, Mineral Point; F. E. Clark, Madison; Thomas Clayton, Dodgeville; C. E. Copeland, Jefferson; E. S. Cowry, Sun Prairie; Dr. D. Cutham, Stoughton; W. W. Day, Janesville; J. H. Durfee, Madison; H. A. Davies, Dodgeville; Elmcroft yards, Ft. Atkinson; W. H. Eldridge, Plymouth; Clyde Fisher, Madison; J. J. Flad, Madison; Jas. Flint, Oregon; W. T. Guelzmacher, Watertown; M. C. Gerard, Stoughton; H. D. Gilman, Plymouth; Gladys Poultry yards, Stevens Point; George Hackett, North Freedom; L. E. Hildreth, South Madison; Walter Jagow, La Crosse; H. G. Jackson, Mineral Point; John Johns, Dodgeville; A. M. Kelly, Mineral Point; Gabriel Lewis, Hollandale; Charles Love, Waukesha; J. R. Love, Waukesha; George McDonald, La Crosse; James Livingstone, Milwaukee; Rees Orpinham Farm, Jefferson; Iver Roberts, Ft. Atkinson; T. J. Schultz, La Crosse; Thomas Williams and son, Madison; John Tyson, Superior.

### 700 COMMISSION MEN MEETING IN CHICAGO

[By the Associated Press.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 9.—More than seven hundred commission merchants representing every section of the country were present today when the International League of Commission Merchants began the business sessions of its four day convention.

Spend, but Spend WISELY! Save, and Save EARNESTLY! Buy War Savings Stamps!

# DAVIES SPEAKS NEXT AT SUPERIOR

### Credited Candidate for Husting's Seat Accepts Invitation This Week

Chairman Joseph Davies of the Federal Trade commission will go to Superior this week for a public address which he was invited to make by the Commercial club. Notice of his acceptance was sent to Superior today.

Commissioner Davies is credited with being in closer touch with the administration war-program than any other one man, having been one of the original Wilson men, and high in his confidence at all times. He has been prominently mentioned as a candidate to succeed the late Sen. Husting.

# ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS WANT 1920 BALLOT

### Would Nullify Effect of Recent Election Held in the Empire State

[By the Associated Press.]

ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 9. Members of the New York State Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage decided formally today to begin a vigorous right at the present legislative session for a referendum in 1920 on a constitutional amendment which would take away from the women of the state their right to vote acquired last fall by a majority of 102,344.